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—The members of the Entertainment
Club, who took the character parts in the
recent dramatic production of the three
act comedy, "Our Boys," at Channing
church enjoyed a social evening at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Bart-
lett on Arlington street last evening.

—An entertainment will be given at
the North Evangelical church next Wed-
nesday evening at 8 o'clock the proceeds
to go toward purchasing a piano for the
primary department. The talent will
consist of Mrs. Grant Wilkins, organist;
Miss Millicent, McLeod, reader; Mr.
George H. Putney, trombone and the
Waltham orchestra.

—An artistic and interesting render-
ing of J. H. Maunders' sacred cantata,
"Olivet to Calvary" was given at the
vesper service at Eliot church last Sun-
day afternoon before a large audience.
Mr. Everett E. Truette, the organist
and choromaster, was in charge and
there was the regular quartette and
chorus of 35 voices.

—During the Sunday evenings in
Lent Rev. George S. Butters will give
a series of sermons on the theme, "Prac-
tical Questions in Common Life." There
will be a soloist each evening and choice
organ music. These sermons will begin
at 7:30 and will be followed by an after
meeting. The dates and topics will be
as follows: March 4, "The Man Men
Called Hopeless"; March 11, "A Thinker
Who Reasoned It Out"; March 18, "The
Question of An Honest Man"; March
25, "A Weak Man's Inconvenience";
April 1st, "The Man Who Thought He
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—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Phipps
of Oakleigh road are receiving congrat-
ulations on the birth of a son.

—Mrs. A. N. Burbank of Park ave-
nue will spend the next few weeks in
New York and Washington.

—Mrs. Jesse C. Ivy of Fairmont ave-
nue has returned from a visit to friends
in New York and Poughkeepsie.

—Mrs. H. G. Safford of Boyd street
is attending the International Conven-
tion of Student Volunteers this week at
Nashville, Tenn.

—Prof. Carl Baermann of Sargent
street, who is a member of the faculty
of the New England Conservatory of
Music, gave a piano recital in Jordan
hall, Boston, Friday evening. There
was a large attendance and a feature of
the program was a playing of a Valse
Romance, which is one of Prof. Baer-
mann's own compositions.

—During Lent at Channing church
Sunday mornings, Rev. Adelbert L.
Hudson will give a series of sermons
on, "Our Christian Attitude and Faith,"
beginning next Sunday with an intro-
ductory sermon on "The Open Door." On
successive Sundays the "Five Articles
of Our Faith," will be considered as
follows: March 11th, "The Fatherhood
of God," March 18th, "The Brother-
hood of Man," March 25th, "The Lead-
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Newton.

—Miss Florence Harding entertained
the Eliot Guild at her home on Centre
street last Tuesday afternoon.

—The annual offering for Home Mis-
sions will be taken Sunday, March 11th,
at the Immanuel Baptist church.

—Roy, the young son of Mr. Charles
S. Decker of Elmwood street, is able to
be out after a long serious illness.

—Mr. Wellington Howes is at the
Boston Homeopathic hospital recover-
ing from an operation for appendicitis.

—Mr. Charles J. Bailey has purchased
several lots of land on Washington
street near the line that divides Newton
and Brighton.

—Mrs. Henry Tolman of Washington
street has gone to California. Mr. Tol-
man is the guest of Mr. Eben Sears of
Waverley avenue.

—Mr. J. Wesley Barber of Summit
street has recovered from his recent ill-
ness and is in Philadelphia this week
looking after business interests.

—One of the social events of the sea-
son will be the dramatic and dialect re-
cital given by Mrs. Waldo Richards at
the Hunnewell clubhouse next Wednes-
day evening.

—The annual meeting of church mem-
bers will be held at Channing church
next Sunday afternoon at 4. There
will be the election of officers and a
communion service.

—The Sunday school connected with
the Methodist church intend raising
money for a new piano, such an in-
strument being needed in the auditorium as
well as in the vestry.

—In the delivery room at the Newton
Free Library there is a fine collection of
about 100 colored photographs of Swit-
zerland and the Bernese Oberland loaned
by the Library Art Club.

—Rev. Dr. C. H. Patton, Franklin
street, secretary of the American Board,
was in Manchester, N. H., Tuesday
where he presided at a meeting in the
interest of foreign missions.

—Rev. Dr. George W. Shinn is to
give a series of Lenten sermons at the
Church of the Good Shepherd, Water-
town. His subject will be, "Some Chap-
ters from the Life of a Christian Woman."

—Dr. and Mrs. Alvah Cochran Cum-
mings, who were recently married at
the bride's home in Waverley, will be
at home to their friends after March
1st at the Evans Apartments on Centre
street.

—The vested choir of Grace church
will give Alfred R. Gaul's Sacred can-
tata, "The Holy City," next Sunday
evening. The special choral services
are proving popular and are being well
attended.

—Mr. William M. Paxton of Elm-
wood street, the well known artist, will
be one of the exhibitors in the coming
loan exhibition of "Old Masters Copied
by Modern Painters," to be held by the
Copley Society in Boston.

—A pretty sale of fancy articles, cake
and candy, was held last Saturday after-
noon in charge of Miss Caroline Hre-
man and the officers and members of
the Eliot Aids. The proceeds will go
to the mission work of the society.

—Mr. Albert H. Waitt and family of
Vernon street are back from their south-
ern trip. Mr. Waitt has had a display
in his store window this week of alga-
tors, tropical fruit from Nassau, Ba-
hama Islands, and souvenir postal cards.

—In the preparatory league athletic
meet held in the Mechanics Building,
Boston, Wednesday Robert Porter won
first in the 45 yard hurdles and was tied
for first in the high jump. Merriew
won the 40 yard dash and 100 yard
closed.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Davis of
Park street, Mr. F. H. Tucker of Church
street, and Miss Priscilla Alden of Cen-
tre street have returned from the Iron
Mountain House, Jackson, N. J., where
they went with the snow shoe section of
the Appalachian Mountain Club.

—Some 50 employees and friends of
Mr. Charles C. Prescott, one of the
proprietors of Atwood's Market, gave
him a surprise party Monday evening,
and presented him with a handsome
morris chair and smoking jacket. A
musical program was enjoyed and re-
freshments served.

—About 35 members of the Eliot
church choir entertained the sailors at
the rooms of the Seaman's Friend So-
ciety on Hanover st., Boston, Tuesday
evening of last week. The play, "April
Fools" was given also a musical pro-
gram and later a collation was served
by the Newton company.

—Miss Mary E. Murphy, daughter of
the late James B. Murphy, a former
well known resident of this place, died
in Dorchester, Wednesday of last week.
High mass was celebrated at St. Mar-
garet's church, Columbia road, Dor-
chester, Friday morning at 9 o'clock and
the interment was in Calvary cemetery,
Waltham.

—In the parish house of the Grace
church Monday evening under the au-
spices of the Junior Auxiliary an en-
tertainment was given consisting of two
plays. In the first play, "Five Cups of
Chocolate," the cast was made up of the
following young ladies: the Misses
Ethel L. Leighton, Elizabeth Moran,
Leanie F. Leeman, Ethel C. Wilcox and
Eleanor Harris. "Our Aunt from Cal-
ifornia," was the second play and the
character parts were taken by the Misses
Leeman, Wilcox, Harris, Leighton,
Moran and Miss Majorie Pickernell.
During the intermission Miss Elsa Leon-
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BENEATH THE GILDED DOME.

"The proprietors of the Hotel Touraine, the citizens of Boston, and the travelling public will be thankful that the legislature has seen fit to pass the bill which permits the management of that house to serve its guests as they were served prior to the campaign made by the District Attorney a few months ago." That quotation from one of the leading papers of Boston is the special legislation case in a nutshell, and the ghost of that piece of legislation will haunt legislative halls till many moons shall wax and wane. There are many things that can be quieted with the lapse of time, and many more that can be stowed away in the cedar chests of legislative attic, but the one thing which seems to be inoculated with perpetual restlessness is a precedent. A precedent never slumbers nor sleeps. It never takes the wings of the morning and flies away; it never even takes Raymond & Whitecomb's excursions, it stays right with us, and when it is least expected it will show its ugly face, and those who see it, will be duly impressed with its ugliness. You can neither chloroform a precedent nor paint it over. The dome of the State House may be gilded, but a precedent, created under the gilded dome, can never be gilded. This precedent will grow until the Touraine will look like a subcellar in comparison. With the signing of the bill by the Governor the Touraine ceases to be an issue, and special legislation takes a new lease of life. It is said that the City of Boston could have once sold the Winthrop School building for \$300,000. Although the market would not pay more than \$300,000 at present, the State could better afford to have paid a million for it and given a mortgage on its best asset than it could have had that precedent established by its legislature. Again, Mayor Fitzgerald missed the opportunity of his lucky life when he neglected to come to the State House and point out, with his fluent tongue, the value to the State of paying the City almost any price for this building, rather than establish this precedent, for he would perhaps have obtained what the City needs more than anything else, except good government, and that is, money.

Looking at it in one of its most serious aspects, this action of the legislature is one of the most lamentable transactions that has occurred in a generation at the State House. To be sure, the views here expressed are at variance with the recorded judgment of a large majority of that body, although it is believed that the breach would be lessened if the unrecorded belief of that majority could be obtained. With one or two exceptions, the writer is out of harmony with the real motive of the minority on the Touraine Bill. If the legislature had only said, Boston has been crying for local self government, now give her a chance. This is purely a Boston affair, let the people involved take such action as they deem best, and not come to the State House and ask the Commonwealth to lower her standard at the expense of her declared policy. And not only that, but take such action under the guise of a miserable subterfuge, namely, clothe special legislation with the cloak of general legislation. By this action the legislature has put into the hands of the City of Boston, the most effective weapon against State control, for special legislation is exactly what the City of Boston has been praying for, and already she is here with more of the same kind. The screen law, and the albutters law, which are purely and undeniably matters of a special character, are to be considered this week.


Of course, all this is said from the viewpoint of general legislation. The legislature, having by this act committed itself to special legislation, it is necessary for the General Court to fortify itself, as best it can, with arguments in support of that policy. There are some things to be said in favor of legislation for the few. To grow one blade of grass where none grew before, is undoubtedly a marked advance toward fertility; one generous act, if its like is never seen again in a life, will do something toward mitigating the remorse of the hereafter. To be sure, by comparison, it is like having a thread and needle store in the heart of the traffic of a great city, but its "business" so far as it goes, it isn't the greatest good to the greatest number, but at least it is a little good to a little few. It isn't legislation for the good of a great and majestic State, but it is helping something out of a hole. Little drops of water and little grains of sand, are better than void everywhere. As these comments were opened with a quotation from a great metropolitan journal, perhaps they are fittingly closed with the ending of the same editor:

"With this difficulty out of the way, we have hopes that the legislature will go still further and will amend the so-called semi-colon law, so that our hotels may provide for their guests up to midnight, and that the albutters law may be restricted so that it will not furnish means for continuous blackmail."

That is the other half of the nutshell. The motorists rally at the State House for a square deal this week, as they say. There are seven measures before the Committee on Roads and Bridges, and it is likely that the hearing will extend over a week or two. It is to be hoped that the interests of the public may be conserved in the measure that the committee may finally report. It should be remembered that the rights of the public should always be preserved, and that the motorists compose only a small portion of that public. The immense patronage of automobile interests will ensure a very marked support from a portion of the press, while the power of money will have its effect upon many who bow down to its potency. However, the legislature is the strong right arm of the people.

A member of the legislature had a half-written bill the other day which he was submitting to some of his friends, relating to the discovery of sixteen thousand pieces of mail matter from New England which had been found in the bottom of mail bags that had been sent to storehouses where they had been taken for repairs. The resolve suggested to the President that he suspend his attempts to regulate rates on the railroads until he could regulate the mail service.

Members of the legislature are smilingly commenting upon the attempts



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made in the Republican State Central Committee to rid the party of alleged bossism. The flutter of insects never disturbs the arc light. Singed wings and silence only follow such feeble demonstrations. Senator Lodge is to be overthrown, of course, that is a foregone conclusion. The trouble with the conclusion, however, is that it has been too long foregone. Another trouble is, that just before he is to be overthrown; Mr. Lodge comes to Massachusetts and makes a speech somewhere, about something, and people say, "further action is postponed to a more convenient season." The fact is, that the line of statesmen in the United States Senate comes pretty nearly being led by Lodge and Crane, so Beacon Hill seems to think.

The Committee on Probate and Chancery got after the money sharks again last week, as it does every year, in an effort to regulate that traffic in human happiness. Perhaps there is a more despicable and remorseless industry than this of lending money to poor people, if so, it has not been thrust into the lime light enough to attract attention. "Jim the Penman" is after them with a bill, and if anybody can reach the slippery benefactors of the poor, who loan money upon terms that no decent man would impose, Mr. James H. Mellen of Worcester has the arm to do the reaching.

For fear that our friend Bridgman may not have heard the remark, it was stated in a committee hearing the other day, by a gentleman, in the course of his remarks, "The Springfield Republican is said to be the nearest to an incorruptible newspaper in Massachusetts." It is to be hoped that if Mr. Bridgman missed that, the rest of the newspaper representatives also missed it, for incorruptibility is as free as air in the newspaper zone.

Simultaneously with the escape of the convict Gaskill from Charles Street Jail the other day, the newspapers printed the report of the Prison Commission, showing a reduction in the Jail population. So accurately does history record events!

Edgar J. Bliss.

80 Years Old.

Mrs. Jane E. Graves, formerly of Medford, celebrated her eightieth birthday Tuesday February twentieth, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Galland, 15 Church street, Newton. Friends were present from Medford, Newtonville and Newton, and the beautiful flowers, with other gifts, were tokens of the warm friendship of these passing years. Many of those unable to be present sent greetings and best wishes on this happy occasion.

Mrs. Graves has been a constant attendant at the Eliot church in Newton, since being a resident of this city, and an active worker in the Woman's Association connected with the church. Feeble health the past two years has confined her closely to her home, where she welcomes those who gladly show their love and appreciation of their honored friend.

Organ Recitals.

A series of Lenten organ recitals will be given in Eliot church on Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock, March 1 to April 5 inclusive. These recitals will be in place of those heretofore given on Wednesday afternoons and the list below guarantees a rare musical treat for lovers of high grade music.

March 1, Mr. John Hermann Lund, Baptist Church, Newton Centre.
March 8, Mr. S. Archer Gibson, Brick Presbyterian Church, Fifth avenue, New York. There will be a harp accompanist.

March 15, Mr. Everett E. Truette, Eliot Church, Newton.
March 22, Mr. Allen W. Swan, Unitarian Church, New Bedford.

March 29, Mr. Henry M. Dunham, Harvard Congregational Church, Brookline.
April 5, Mr. Henry T. Wade, Winthrop Congregational Church, Charlestown.

CLAFLIN GUARD NOTES.

The 4th team under the leadership of 1st Sergt. Cooney won the shoot Friday night and now leads by a small margin. Chief Musician George Williams of the 5th Infantry was a visitor at the Armory, Monday evening. Sergt. Maj. Williams was appointed from this company to the position of Chief musician last October by Col. Oakes and has in that position proved himself a worthy graduate of the Claflin Guard. He is at present inspecting the company baggers preparatory to the trip to Ottawa.

The company is making extensive arrangements for their trip and have voted an assessment of \$5 per man to help defray the expenses.

The Sunlight Hop and Basket party held in the Armory Washington's Birthday was a decided success socially and financially, and the support rendered the company by their many friends was very gratifying.

Company inspection next Monday night.

Auburndale.

—The children of Mr. Fred N. Kaysman of Lexington street are ill with pneumonia.

—Mr. Vine D. Baldwin of Lexington street is away on a business trip to Cambridge, N. Y.

—Mr. William T. Farley of Central street is enjoying his annual camping out trip in the woods.

—Letter carrier John J. Gill has returned from a visit to friends in Mount Vernon, N. Y.

—Dr. Arthur S. Cooley of Central street has returned from a lecture trip through the west.

—Mr. John R. Robertson of Charles street is back from a business and pleasure trip to Wisconsin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Plummer are away on a vacation trip to Pinehurst and other southern points.

—Miss Elizabeth Standish of Charles street has returned from the Newton hospital and is much improved in health.

—Mrs. J. H. Cummings of Syracuse, New York, has been visiting Mrs. Geo. W. Clapp of Auburndale for the past two weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Nash of Studio road are the guests for a few weeks of Mrs. Edward B. Bowen at Newton Centre.

—A social dance under the auspices of the Woodland Orchestral Club will be held Friday evening, March 9th in Norumbega hall.

—The roof has been put on the three apartment house on Prairie avenue which is being built for Hans L. Fange. Mr. George E. Strout is the architect.

—Mr. Benjamin Daniels, who has been the guest of his cousin Mr. Walter P. Thorn of Auburndale avenue has returned to his home in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

—President John H. Morley of Fargo College, Fargo, North Dakota, was the preacher at the Congregational church last Sunday morning and evening.

—In Dr. Louise C. Purington address to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union she said: Great men and religious bodies taking position on the temperance question and federation of societies are signs of the times showing that the time is ripe for co-operation between missionary and temperance organizations. 105,000 lives were lost in the civil war but 400,000 die from strong drink every year. There are saloons enough in the United States to make two cities like New York: enough in New York City to make a wall around it; enough in Chicago to reach from there to New York. The Crusade wiped out 10,000 saloons but many are here now and our educational campaign is necessary. We need 70,000 gallons of rum where we need 1 missionary. Massachusetts spends \$300,000 yearly in the care of its criminals, and has the largest distillery in the world. Just now one has a contract to supply 3000 gallons a day for heathen lands. Bishop Newman says "With the gospel Africa is safe but Africa with rum is lost." In India where one convert to Christ is made traders make 1000 drunkards. Livingstone said "The church should no longer hide from herself the want of success owing to her lethargy as to the great evil of intemperance."

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At the Theatres

Coming Attractions

Keith's Theatre—Perhaps no entertainer who has appeared at Keith's in recent years has succeeded in creating the sensation aroused by Harry Houdini. Handcuffs and manacles of the regulation order seem to have no terrors for him and even straightjackets are put to shame by this inexplicable performer. At almost every performance during the past week he had something new and startling for the astonished audiences which fairly packed the big auditorium. Not satisfied with putting handcuffs and manacles to shame this wonderfully versatile entertainer broke jail also. It is a safe assumption to make that this clever artist will cause more comment during the present six days than at any time previous. Although Houdini is to be held over there will be many other strong acts of "headline" qualities on the bill including Marcel's Bas Reliefs, being posings by famous French models in imitation of well-known art subjects. It is easily the most artistic exhibition of the kind in the varieties and a great treat for art lovers. Edmund Day, the popular author-actor, always receives a big welcome when he comes to Boston. Mr. Day has probably written more vaudeville sketches than any other vaudeville entertainer. His latest sketch, "The Sheriff" is a capital vehicle of Arizona life dealing with the love affair of a young sheriff, Eddie Clark and his Six Winning Widows are new to Boston, but it is sufficient introduction to say that Mr. Clark is a capital comedian and the girls know how to sing and dance their way into favor. Others on the bill will be Carter and Bluford, colored entertainers; Bobby North, Hebrew comedian; the Schubert quartet of mixed vocalists; and Harry Edson and a remarkably trained canine. The customary change of motion pictures will be made in the kinetograph.

Castle Square Theatre—"The Fatal Card" is one of the most popular melodramas ever seen in Boston, and its revival at the Castle Square Theatre next week will recall to many playgoers the long run that it enjoyed at the old Boston Museum some eight or ten years ago. The Castle Square stock company which will act this play has now become recognized as the leading organization of its kind in this country. It can act comedy and farce, Shakespearean tragedy and melodrama with equal ability, and its transition from "Julius Caesar" this week to "The Fatal Card" next week will be accomplished with great skill and artistic power. The week next, "The Edge of the Storm" will receive at the Castle Square its first production in this country.

Boston Theatre—What would become of the Yankee without his pumpkin pie? In a way, this query is responsible for the collaboration of Paul West and W. W. Denslow in the unique and imaginative spectacle, "The Pearl and the Pumpkin," which has been produced by Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger on a scale of elaborateness and splendor of their previous productions of extravaganzas, and which is to come to the Boston Theatre for a limited engagement, beginning next Monday night. It would almost appear that our great nation was nourished from infancy to greatness and strength on that splendid and enlightening diet—pie. Emerson ate it for breakfast, it is stated, and for that matter so did Washington, Lincoln, Grant, Wendell Phillips, Daniel Webster and a host of other great defenders of liberty. The basic principle of "The Pearl and the Pumpkin" is a fable in those succulent golden vegetables. In only one village, a small Vermont township, is a crop to be found, and here a lad, who has been given some seeds by a good fairy, has not only grown a large crop but has spread superlative size that its fame has spread to the uttermost corners of the earth. The young man however, cuts his crop up into jack-o'-lanterns for the Halloween festivities, and, not being able to satisfy the many demands for the delicious pie-filling, goes through a great number of adventures in Yankee-land, fairyland, at the bottom of the sea and in the Bermuda Islands. Ten massive and beautiful stage settings are shown in "The Pearl and the Pumpkin," and there are 24 musical numbers, which have been written by John W. Bratton.

Tremont Theatre—The first week of Mrs. Leslie Carter's engagement at the Tremont Theatre has fulfilled the most extravagant expectations. Not only have the audiences tested the capacity of that house to the utmost, but such scenes of enthusiasm and appreciation have rarely been witnessed in Boston. To see Mrs. Carter in a triumph of Dramatic art in its double phases—the highest excellence of playwriting and of acting, Mrs. Carter's second week, "Africa," the second week of which begins at the Tremont on Monday, is striking alike for its romantic plot, its superb stage settings, and for the interpretation of its title role by the great actress. In it Mr. Belasco has fairly outdone himself, and Mrs. Carter is ably seconding his efforts. Mrs. Carter's engagement at the Tremont is limited to but four weeks, and that time will be all too short to accommodate the many thousands playgoers who have anxiously been awaiting her return to Boston after a period of two years.

Majestic Theatre—A multitude of New England playgoers have already enjoyed the delightful treat of "Arizona" at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, where that moving drama with its spectacular Oriental splendor and charm has now entered upon its fourth week of triumph. That its notable run there will continue for a few weeks more would seem altogether probable, in view of the fact that no better attraction for Lenten playgoers could be chosen than this reverently and majestically handled theme of Queen Esther, inspired by the sacred text and giving forthright narrative to a wonderful world story of universal human interest. The most religious treatment of the theme, while the religious element is no means obtrusive, the general character of the entertainment. It is not a conventional Biblical drama, nor a piece which must make unique appeal to any particular class of playgoers.

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The exhibition will occupy both Mechanics and Symphony Buildings, and as one ticket admits to both, a large crowd is assured in both places.
There will be on view many cars and boats known the country over. The Locomobile that was driven by "Joe" Tracey in the last Vanderbilt cup race will be seen at the Locomobile space and should attract quite a little attention for this car will be chosen to defend the cup in October.

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Miss Helen Dyer, daughter of Mrs. Helen Dyer, and Rufus King Porter, both of Auburndale, were married by the Rev. Frank Channing Haddock pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, at eight o'clock Tuesday evening February twenty seventh, at the home of the bride's mother. The house was very artistically decorated with ferns, palms and joupins, soft candle light giving a most effective setting for the ceremony. The bride looked charming in white liberty crepe, which was made over the white silk of her mother's wedding gown. The bride veil was caught with a most unique and artistic engagement ring. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Mr. George Copeland, a friend of the groom and a well known musician played the wedding march. Only the relatives and intimate friends of the two families were present; among these Professor Carl Harrington of Wesleyan University, a cousin of Mrs. Dyer, Professor Dana Pierce of Pratt's Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. Monks the celebrated sheep painter of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Porter left shortly after the ceremony for an extended wedding trip.

Crosby's Restaurant, 19 School street, Boston, is a good place to dine.

Clubs and Lodges

Newton Lodge 92 I. O. O. F. will work the initiatory degree next Thursday evening.

A pretty invitation dance was given by Tennyson Rebekah lodge in Odd Fellows Hall, West Newton, last Tuesday evening. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 12, music Allen and Knowlton's orchestra. About 75 couple were present and the floor was in charge of Mr. Lester Cushing who was assisted by Mrs. W. C. Newell, Mrs. A. L. Beane, Mrs. W. E. Thayer, Mrs. C. G. Peck, Mrs. C. F. Jones and Mrs. Lester Cushing, aids.

At the Churches

The choir of Grace Church will give the cantata of the "Holy City," by Alfred Gaul, next Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m., under the direction of Mr. Charles N. Sladen, choirmaster, assisted by Mr. Herbert F. Whipple, tenor, Miss Mary E. Reilly, accompanist, Mr. Dudley W. Fitch, organist. All seats are free.

Newton.

The collection at Eliot church next Sunday will be for the North Village church.

Mrs. Louis M. Alexander is reported quite ill this week at her home on Boyd street.

Mrs. John Stetson and Mrs. Nancy E. Mandell are located in Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Charles A. Drew of Baldwin street has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Hartzell in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd W. Cone of 16 Linden Terrace are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Partridge of Oakleigh road are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Loring B. Hall of Franklin street is at a hospital in Forest Hills suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Frank Allen Burr, son of Mr. Frank H. Burr of Charlesbank road is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon W. Stearns of Cincinnati are visiting Mrs. Stearns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Hobart of Sargent street.

Mrs. Frank L. Holman of Oakland street left Saturday for Roxbury, where she will spend the spring season with relatives and friends.

The engagement is announced of Miss June Conely of Holliston, formerly of Newton, to Mr. Arthur Irving Williams of Boston.

Mrs. Charles H. Trafton and her son Mr. Harry Trafton, are moving from Rockland street to the Whitman house on Channing street.

Mr. Frederick S. Converse's romantic grand opera, "The Pipe of Desire," will be repeated next Tuesday evening in Jordan hall, Boston.

Mrs. Charles C. Buckman of Tremont street is president and a director of the Replica Process Company recently incorporated in Maine.

Miss Ruby J. Crosby of Waverley avenue was among the passengers sailing for Naples last Saturday on the Canopic of the White Star Line.

The monthly meeting of the Official Board of the Methodist church was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. D. F. Barber on Newtonville avenue.

Mrs. D. G. Harrington who has been spending the winter with Mrs. Buell on Newtonville avenue, has returned to her home in Westboro.

Mrs. John Leavitt of Washington street leaves this week for Ticonderoga, N. Y., where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mortimer Y. Ferris.

Mr. George Seales of San Juan, Porto Rico, who came on to New York on business, has been spending a part of the week with his sisters on Centre street.

The vestry of Grace church is considering the advisability of purchasing the adjoining property on Eldridge street now occupied by Rev. Dr. George W. Shinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Brackett of Washington street have returned from Riverside, California, and brought back with them the ashes of Mr. Cephas Brackett.

The many friends here of Mr. Leighton Calkins will be interested to learn that he has been elected secretary of the Metropolitan Golf Association of New York.

One of the social events of the season will be the dramatic and dialect recital given by Mrs. Waldo Richards at the Hummell clubhouse next Wednesday evening.

Mr. Isaac Costella, who died recently at his home in Cambridge, was the brother of the late Mrs. George Lane, and was well known through the Newtons as a contractor builder.

At the residence of Rev. Dr. George S. Butters on Wesley street Monday evening an interesting meeting of the Standard Bearers was held. Miss Majorie Webster was in charge of the program.

Rev. Dr. W. Douglas Mackenzie, president of the Hartford Theological Seminary, who occupied the pulpit of Eliot church last Sunday, was the guest of Mr. Thomas Weston of Franklin street.

The W. C. T. U. of Watertown will meet at Mrs. Henry Collins, 28 Maple street, March 8, at 3 P. M. Miss Fanny Loring, County Supt. of Flower Missions will speak. Light refreshments will be served.

Mr. Thurlow Weed Bergen, who is a member of the "Way Down East" company, which has been playing an engagement at the Boston Theatre, has been visiting his father-in-law, Mr. Samuel Fanjulhar, of Sargent street.

Prof. H. H. Powers, of Willard street has accepted the invitation and will become the leader of the Class in History of the World's Religions, which meets every Sunday at Channing church at the close of the morning service.

Mr. D. Fletcher Barker, of Newtonville avenue, who is a director of the New England Hardware Dealers Association, is a member of the entertainment and reception committees for the annual convention to be held in Boston next week.

Mr. Roderick Mac Lean of Centre place is to make the repairs to the Maplewood on Maple street. Mr. Mac Lean is making improvements to the Keith house on Pearl street and has just completed a government contract at Fort Strong.

Mrs. Waldo Richards announces a dramatic and dialect recital at the Hummell Club, Newton, Wednesday evening, March 7 at half past 8 o'clock. Tickets at 50c may be obtained of the patronesses and at E. A. Hubbard's Drug Store.

A business meeting and alliance study class was held Tuesday morning in the parlors of Channing church. The subject of "Unitarian Philanthropies and Reforms" were considered by Mrs. J. F. Rothfeld, Mrs. W. C. Bowditch and Mrs. A. G. Barber.

At the dinner of the Hook and Ladder Company, an organization of Boston Newspaper men, held at the Exchange Club, Boston, Saturday evening, Hon. William F. Dana, Mr. Edgar Van Etten and Mr. Samuel L. Carr were among the guests present.

A number of friends from here of Mrs. Leon McGregor Wallace attended her song recital in Association hall, Boston, Tuesday evening. She sang songs in German, French, Italian and others, also an aria from "Chatterbox" "Louise," and one from Verdi's "Forza del Destino."

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BEATON—PHEASANT—In Newton, Feb. 21, by Rev. Clifford G. Twombly, Walton Otis Beaton, of Portsmouth, N. H., and Katherine P. Pheasant of Newton.

FORD—DOLAN—In West Newton, Feb. 21, by Rev. Charles J. Galligan, William Francis Ford and Marie Dolan, both of Newton.

GLEASON—DAMRELL—In Chelsea, Feb. 22, by Rev. R. Perry Bush, Herbert Eldridge Gleason of Newton Highlands and Mildred King Danrell of Roxbury.

BECKY—PIARY—In West Newton, Feb. 21, by Rev. Edwin F. Snell, Leonard Beecham Berry and Eva Garfield Piary, both of West Newton.

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SOUTHWICK—In Woburn, Feb. 21, John Southwick, aged 88 yrs., 2 mos., 20 days.

BLACK—At Newton, Feb. 18, Sophia M., wife of John Mackay.

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to which admission is charged must be
paid for at regular rates, 25 cents per line
in the reading matter, or \$1.00 per inch in
the advertising columns.

The police are to be commended in
their recent successful efforts to improve
the moral conditions in Nonantum
square. The difficulty of obtaining evi-
dence has made the violators of the law
bold and drastic measures were needed
to make them respect the law.

The public hearing on the matter of
authorizing the local street railway com-
panies to carry express packages before
the aldermen next Monday night, will
probably develop little opposition. The
project will be of great assistance to
residents of Newton Highlands and Up-
per Falls.

The last call for the elimination of the
\$1.50 meter rent charge for the present
year is now sounding. The GRAPHIC has
harped so long on this string that it may
have become wearisome to our readers,
and yet, the only way to compel the city
authorities to act on this simple act of
justice is through the pressure of public
opinion.

Newton Highlands is aroused to the
idea that it needs a new school building.
This matter has been agitated there for
some years but without that definiteness
which brings results. A piece of land has
been purchased for the proposed new
building but the lack of progress during
the past few years in the number of
school children has dampened the ardor
of the authorities. It is a good business
proposition, however, to erect a new
building as the expense of renting out-
side quarters and the manifestly inade-
quate heating and ventilating plant of
the present Hyde school, make a strong
argument for an appropriation by the
city government.

Mock Trial.

The Mock Court Trial to be given un-
der the auspices of the Young Men's
Union for the benefit of the M. E. church
in Lincoln hall, on Wednesday evening,
promises to be an event of unusual in-
terest. Judging from newspaper reports
it would seem to be one of the most
amusing things now offered for public
patronage.

It will be, in the first place, an exact
reproduction of a court scene in meth-
ods and procedure and on this account
will be extremely interesting to ladies
and others who have never attended a
real trial.

Best of all will be the refined fun of
the whole affair. With George H. Mel-
len, Esq., presiding over the court, Miss
Nettie E. Gerry appearing as the bro-
ken-hearted plaintiff, Mr. Frederick W.
Emerson as the defendant, Col. Newton
prosecuting the case and E. V. Newton,
Esq., defending the accused to say noth-
ing of the brilliant array of court officers
witnesses and jurors, it is pretty certain
we shall have all the comedy and real-
ity of a court scene and enough whole-
some fun to last a whole year.

Indeed it is safe to predict by those in
position to know, that from the opening
of the court until the close of the case,
the audience will be kept keyed up to the
point of convulsions by the unique pro-
ceedings.

Wit, pathos, eloquence, laughable lo-
cal hits and vagaries will be drawn up
on without stint to keep up the current
of merriment.

As an entertainment of innocent fun,
conducted with much dignity and with-
out the shade of offense to refined tastes,
the Mock Court Trial will be as men-
tioned as above, an event of unusual
interest.

This is the make-up of the court:
Judge, George H. Mellen; Clerk,
Francis W. Sprague; Plaintiff, Miss
Nettie E. Gerry; Defendant, Frederick
W. Emerson; Defendant's Attorney, E.
V. Newton, Esq., of Worcester; Pro-
secuting Attorney, Col. A. V. Newton of
Worcester; Court Officer, Samuel W.
Walker; Crier, Martin C. Ladue; Wit-
nesses, Mrs. Dr. Samuel L. Eaton, Mrs.
J. E. Dodge, Dr. F. E. Wilbur, Edward
P. Bosson, Albert M. Beers; Jurors:
Frank J. Hale, Seward W. Jones, Rev.
George G. Phillips, Thomas W. White,
Walter Chesley, Robert Levi, Clarence
S. Luitweiler, Frederic A. O'Connor,
Rev. J. E. Charlton, J. H. Green, J. B.
Haskell, Darius Cobb.

SCHOOL BOARD

The regular meeting of the school
committee was held Wednesday evening.
The report of the work of the even-
ing schools showed an enrollment of 347
as against 243 during the previous year
and an average attendance of 165. The
school was in session 18 weeks.

A suggestion to name the hall in the
Bigelow school house, the H. Chapin
Sawin hall was referred to the Ward 7
committee.

The committee voted to close the
grammar and primary schools on June
22nd.

Important amendments to the rules
of the board relative to markings and
promotions were adopted.

These teachers were appointed:—
Frederick R. Dodge, master Emerson
school, Ethel V. Knight, assistant, Burr
district, Ethel M. Hulse, assistant
Thompsonville district, Amelia Gun-
ther to the Mason district.

YANKEELAND.

The verdict of the large and appre-
ciative audience which witnessed the
production, "for the first time on any
stage" of the new comic opera, "Yan-
keeland" at the Hunnewell club, last
Tuesday evening, was expressed in the
superlative degree. And indeed this op-
era, the work of two New York young
men, and produced by the William H.
Davis club, under the efficient direction
of Mr. Ernest W. Wright fully deserves
the highest eulogiums. Mr. Leverett
Bentley, the author has written some ex-
tremely clever lines and songs, full of
local hits, and with more of a plot than
the usual comic opera. Mr. Wade has
composed some tuneful melodies and
ringing choruses, with that catchy flavor
which is the goal of all song writers.
The "Unconventional" song in the first
act, caught the fancy of the audience at
once and its tuneful swing was well nigh
irresistible. The "Song of Smiling Sla-
tery" brought out a storm of applause,
five encores being demanded, altho, we
fear this was not so much for the melody
as for the stage business of Mr. Hard-
ing. Dr. Naylor received a deserved en-
core for the clever "Telephone" song
and Mr. Henry rendered the "Dreaming
song" in a beautiful manner. Other al-
lusive numbers were "The Saucy, Lit-
tle Sunburned Summer Maid," and the
"Song of the Sea."

The plot, if a comic opera can be said
to have a plot is on rather conventional
lines. An heiress in love with a naval
officer is being forced by her uncle guar-
dian to marry an impecunious nobleman,
when a female reporter comes to the
rescue and proves the nobleman to be an
imposter and the lovers are made free.
Love affairs between the uncle and a
widow and the landlord and the French
maid add to the general gaiety and the
bo'sun of the ship Roosevelt furnishes
the most of the comedy.

Dr. Naylor made a capital French
maid, his accent, acting and singing
making equal hits. Mr. Frazer gave a
conscientious rendering of the title role
of Pendlebury, having by far the hard-
est part in the cast. Mr. Hadden, as the
nobleman, with a perceptible drawl and
hackadissical manner, was also good. Mr.
Bradley, as the leading lady, barring the
awkwardness of his gestures, pleased the
audience greatly. Mr. Ellison, as the
female reporter, captured the favor of
all present with his intelligent work. His
song "The Yellow Journal" and the ac-
companying dance received a storm of
applause. Mr. Whittemore as the wid-
ow, Mr. Manning as the landlord, Mr.
McCammon, as the detective, were all
good in the minor characters. Young
Mr. Blue, as the valet, gave some capital
dancing. But the hit of the evening was
made by Mr. Harding as Slattery. In the
first place, his make up was enough to
raise a laugh. Flaming orange red
"Galway" whiskers, a green tie, a rolling
gait, and clever facial expressions to
which were added, an excellent brogue,
humorous lines, and capital stage busi-
ness and all the effect may be imagined. He
was greeted with roars of laughter
whenever he came on the stage, and the
hilarity reached a climax, when in the
final chorus, he turned his back on the
audience, exposing a line of medals on
his coat, and led the music, a la Sousa.
The chorus was in excellent voice and
sang well together. Mr. Haskell, easily
taking the lead in the matter of effective
stage business.

The make-up of the "female" charac-
ters were very effective, and some at-
tractive ladies were presented to the
audience, under the skillful work of Mr.
Wright. Indeed, if it had not been from
a few awkward gestures and the manner
of handling skirts, it is doubtful, but
what most of those present would not
have believed that it was strictly a
"cadet" performance.

The quartet in oilskins was also an
enjoyable feature of the evening, the
words and fig. dancing at the end of
each verse being well received. The
Mother Goose parodies, given as an en-
core were more than good.

All in all, the opera, given on a larger
stage and with more experienced actors
would equal, if it did not exceed, the
popularity of many of the successes of
the present time.

The stage was under the efficient
management of Mr. B. L. Goodwin.
The Club was represented by Mr. Wal-
ter C. Whitney, as business manager
and by Mr. A. L. Babbitt as advertising
manager. The ushers were Messrs. W.
T. Coppins, R. W. Angier, Lowell Hunt,
E. R. Bailey, W. B. Livermore, Octave
Bourdon, H. E. Whitaker and H. R.
Viets, Jr.

During the intermission between the
acts, Mr. W. F. Garcelon (without an
auctioneer license) sold the original
posters which had advertised the show,
to Messrs. W. H. Barker, F. D. Frisbee,
E. H. Ellison, Arnold Scott and Dr.
Spencer.

At the close of the performance there
were loud and repeated calls for Mr.
Bentley, who made a neat little speech
of thanks. Mr. Wade was also forced
to take the stage and bow his acknowl-
edgements. After the audience had dis-
persed a flash light picture was taken of
the principals and chorus.

The cast is as follows:

Lieut. Lightfoot	Richard Henry
Peter Pendlebury	H. C. Frazer
Daniel Duemall	David Manning
Marion Slattery	Willard G. Harding
Earl of Scotland	Frank J. Hadden
Robin Steele	Robert Blue Jr.
Detective Murphy	E. R. McCammon
George C. Bradley	Dr. Leslie H. Naylor
Mahilde	Carlton L. Ellison
Sally Scribbler	A. F. Whittemore
Mrs. Margaret	E. L. Bacon
Tom Tarpania	Edward Kenway
Steve Stene	E. H. Bow
Ben Dixon	John Ward
Jack Joplin	Henry George
Glady	Duncan Reid
Marguerite	William Fowler
Scrimmy	Asaph Haskell

Police Paragraphs.

Two young boys, Michael Farragher of
Watertown and Henry Morrissey of
Waltham were arrested Tuesday night
by the Newton police charged with com-
mitting the numerous hold ups during
the past few weeks. They were arraigned
in court Wednesday morning and the
cases continued to allow the Waltham
court to try them on a more serious
charge.

An enjoyable whist party under the
auspices of Waban Lodge I. O. O. F.
was held Wednesday evening in Deni-
son hall, Newtonville. Play was at 43
tables and six guests, who won the high-
est scores, were given souvenirs.

West Newton.

—Mr. Frank S. Webster of Waltham
street is back from a Boston hospital
and is much improved in health.

—Mr. Roswell Sutton has purchased
of Patrick P. McDonald his property
located at 62 Cherry street place.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ganse of
Shaw street have been spending a few
weeks at vacation points in California.

—Mrs. Caroline J. Barker and Mr.
and Mrs. Orrin F. Barker of Washing-
ton street are back from a trip to New
York.

—At the Second Congregational
church next Sunday afternoon the
Loyal service will be held at 4:30
o'clock.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion will
meet next Sunday afternoon at 3
o'clock in the vestry of the Baptist
church.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. H. Dowse of
Temple street are on their way to Eu-
rope for a several months business and
pleasure trip.

—Mr. Neil Jepson of Jepson Court
has the contract for plumbing the resi-
dence of Fred S. Butman on Summit
street, Waltham.

—Mr. Henry D. Wiggins and family
of Boston will soon occupy the new
Leland house they recently purchased
on Hillside avenue.

—Miss Helen Gibson, who is a mem-
ber of the freshman class at Smith Col-
lege, has been chosen a member of the
sub basketball team.

—Paymaster Joseph Fyffe, U. S. N.,
who arrived recently from Manila, with
Mrs. Fyffe are the guests of Mrs. Jose-
ph Fyffe of Perkins street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herbert
Flourance who were married recently
will be at home to their friends after
March 1st at Manchester by the Sea.

—Mrs. William A. Young of Temple
street and her guest Mrs. Pond, enter-
tained friends at whist at the Brae
Burn Country Club last Friday evening.

—Messrs. C. W. Bunting, A. G. Hos-
mer and F. B. Witherbee have returned
from New Hampshire where they were
among the guests of Mr. Charles E. Hat-
ford at his camp.

—The members of the First Baptist
church have voted and made application
to the Commissioner of Corporations to
change the name to the Lincoln Park
Baptist church of West Newton.

—The West Newton Women's Al-
liance met Thursday morning in the
parlors of the Unitarian church. An in-
teresting paper was read by Mrs. Ed-
ward M. Myrick on, "Paul in Greece."

—At a meeting of the executive com-
mittee of the Massachusetts Golf Asso-
ciation held in Boston Monday it was
voted to hold the Amateur Championship
at the Brae Burn Country Club from
June 11 to 16 inclusive.

—Mr. William Lloyd Garrison of
Prince street was in Washington, D. C.,
last Friday evening where he was the
principal speaker at a largely attended
mass meeting of colored people held to
consider suffrage conditions in the
South.

—At the Neighborhood Club last
Wednesday evening, "The Graduating
Exercises of the Cranberry Hollow
District School," was repeated before a
large audience. The proceeds are for
the organ fund for the new Unitarian
church.

—The exercises of the Sunday School
at the Unitarian church last Sunday
took the form of a memorial service for
Mrs. Mary A. Livermore. The service
is one prepared for Unitarian Sunday
schools and is designed to promote the
interests of temperance.

—In the Allen School gymnasium last
Thursday evening the home team de-
feated the Tech Second team in a game
of basketball by a score of 34 to 28.
The game was well played and was
much enjoyed by the 150 students and
friends who were present.

—The Fleur de Lis Club gave a bon
bon party in Odd Fellow's hall last Mon-
day evening. About 125 couple were
present and dancing was enjoyed from
8 to 12. Music Kutz orchestra. The af-
fair was in charge of the Misses Mattie
Crough, Margaret Twomey and Julia
Foley.

—At their future residence on Cres-
cent street Wednesday evening, Feb-
ruary 21st Mr. Leonard Meehan Berry
was invited in morning to Miss Iva
Garfield Perry, daughter of Mrs. E. B.
Smith of Fuller street. The ceremony
was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. R.
F. Snell pastor of the First Baptist
church and there were a good number
present. Mr. Berry is one of the fore-
men in the employ of H. H. Hunt the
builder.

—The Neighborhood Whist Club has
been formed recently, with a member-
ship of 12 ladies and hold meetings ev-
ery Monday evening. The hostesses
thus far have been Mrs. H. R. Glazier,
Mrs. H. H. Hunt, Mrs. G. P. Rice, Mrs.
E. Hall, Mrs. E. Kimball and Mrs. A.
S. Kimball. A light lunch is served at
each meeting and there are appropriate
decorations. One of the members has
written the following jingle:
If a jolly crowd you would like to meet
Join the Neighborhood Whist Club of
River and Henshaw street.

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—The young ladies of The Misses Al-
len's School entertained a few of their
friends at a Heart's Party on Washing-
ton's Birthday and a delightful time was
enjoyed.

—Four of the Hawaiian Commission-
ers to Washington visited the Misses
Allen's School the past week, where the
two daughters of one (Mr. Edward Mc-
Guirey) are being educated.

—PROFESSOR JOHN DUNBURY
of England, the renowned elocutionist,
will return to this country in March
for a limited number of engagements.
Those who heard him recite the Book of
Job and Dickens' Christmas Carols last
year, will be glad of another opportu-
nity to hear Mr. Dunbury, in a pro-
gram of Selected Miscellaneous Read-
ings, which he will give in the Central
Congregational church, Walnut street,
Newtonville, Monday evening, March 12,
at 8 o'clock. Tickets at thirty five and
fifty cents, may be obtained from Mr.
Arthur Nagle, Kirkstall road, Newton-
ville.

Obituary.

The many friends of Mrs. Elizabeth
R. Richardson, wife of Mr. Fred G.
Richardson, for many years a resident of
Newtonville, will regret to learn of her
death, on Sunday, February 18th, at the
home of her daughter, Mrs. George
Shipman, in Chicago. Mrs. Richardson
will be remembered by her former
neighbors and host of friends in New-
tonville and in Newton, for her many
and delightful social qualities and for
the unflinching brightness and cheeriness
of her daily life among them. She was
a devoted member of Grace church,
Newton and was ever a most faithful
and energetic worker for the interests of
the church.

With her husband, she has resided at
the West for the past fifteen years or
more, making her home during the lat-
ter years of her life with her daughter in
Chicago.

The end came quietly after a brief but
severe struggle with pneumonia from
which she was recovering, but the suffer-
er could not gather sufficient strength
to rally for her convalescence.

A brief quotation from an obituary
written by Rev. John Henry Hopkins,
rector of the Church of the Epiphany,
Chicago, well sums up the life and char-
acter of Mrs. Richardson as she will be
remembered in the Newtons:—"Mrs.
Richardson was one of the most beloved
communicants of our entire parish. Her
cheerful face and bright, animated smile,
her ever generous heart, her unceasing
willingness to work, were only equalled
by the remarkable interest which she al-
ways showed toward everything con-
nected with the church. * * * To know
her was to love her, and the number of
her sorrowing friends is the number of
her acquaintances."

—Crosby's Restaurant, 19 School
street, Boston, is a good place to dine. If

High School Notes

The first indoor meet of the Prepara-
tory School league was held in Meacham
Hall Wednesday afternoon, three
high schools participating, Brookline,
Newton and Cambridge. Brookline won
with 35.34 points, Newton got 32 and
Cambridge 14 point.

A big crowd of enthusiasts, cheering
for their respective schools, filled the
galleries and the cheers sounded as vi-
ciously as if full grown college men did
the rooting.

The most exciting event was the high
jump which resulted in a tie between
Schlemm of Brookline and Porter of
Newton. They divided points and tossed
for a silver cup, and Porter won it.

The event next in interest was the
1000-yd. run, in which there were 12 en-
tries. Daniels, Brookline, reached the
tape first, his time being 2 min. 28.35
sec. Carey and Somers, both of Newton,
were second and third.

The relay race between Brookline and
Newton was won by Newton.

Waban.

—On Thursday, Mrs. Pietro Isola
was the hostess of the Luncheon Whist
Club.

—Next week Wednesday the annual
meeting of the Waban Tennis Courts
will be held.

—Miss Esther Saville, Vassar '06, has
been seriously ill at the College Infir-
mary but is now recovering.

—The regular Church Guild meeting
was held on Tuesday afternoon at the
home of Mrs. F. W. Johnson, Eliot.

—Miss Sibyl F. Stone of Nehoiden
Road entertained Miss Charlotte Ed-
wards, formerly of Waban, over Sun-
day.

—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Wash-
ington street, Newtonville. Tel. 112-3.
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—A vocal recital by the pupils of Miss
Florence Wood was held Wednesday
evening in Faelton Hall, Boston. The
first part of the program consisted of
songs by the pupils and one selection by
Miss Wood. The second part, much
of the oratorio "Elijah" was given, with
the assistance of Messrs Charles At-
wood, tenor, Robert Seaman, baritone,
of Boston, and Eliot Robinson, bass, of
Waban, as soloists. The chorus of pupils
was augmented by Misses Maude Ken-
drick and Della Conant. The audience
was small but favorable.

The Ladies' Circle of the Union
church at Waban gave a most enjoyable
social at Waban Hall last Friday eve-
ning. The entertainment of the evening
was in charge of Mrs. E. P. Seaver, who
with a number of the young people of
the church presented a series of charac-
ter sketches, clever and artistic man-
ner. Both the setting of the scenes and
the fine work of the actors, provoked
repeated bursts of applause and merriment
from the delighted audience. Too
much cannot be said in praise of this
entertainment. At the close of the pro-
gram ice cream and cake were served.
The next meeting of the Circle will be
held at the home of Mrs. Willard Whit-
man, on Nehoiden Road on Tuesday af-
ternoon, March 6th, when the ladies will
see for the Pomroy Home of Newton.

Nonantum.

—At a meeting of the Nonantum Im-
provement Society on Tuesday night
plans were discussed for establishing a
branch of the public library in this vil-
lage.

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Newtonville.

—Miss Odele F. de Vignier of Cloelia terrace is visiting friends in Providence, R. I.

—Mr. A. H. Clifford of Walnut street is able to be out after a recent illness.

—Mr. Jarvis T. Beal and family have moved from Cabot street to Clarendon avenue.

—Mr. D. C. Heath of Highland avenue is in Chicago looking after business interests.

—Miss Gertrude Spear of Watertown street is back from a few week's sojourn in New Jersey.

—Miss Constance Righter of Walnut street has returned from a visit in Gilbertville, Mass.

—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Washington street, Newtonville. Tel. Newton 112-3.

—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Rand of Newtonville avenue are spending the week in New York.

—Mr. A. J. Reed and family of Allston have moved into the Kimball house on Trowbridge avenue.

—Mrs. C. H. Goodwin Jr. has returned to Haverhill after visiting her mother on Austin street.

—Mrs. J. H. Hickey of New York is visiting her mother Mrs. George W. Morse of Central avenue.

—Miss Bevan entertained the Queens of Avilion at her home on Edinboro street Thursday afternoon.

—Messrs J. B. and H. C. Dunbar of Watertown street have entered the military academy at Worcester.

—Mr. Alfred B. Seeley of New Haven Conn., has been a guest this week of his parents on Washington park.

—Miss Brown has been in town the past week the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Bishop of Walnut street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Brown of Walnut street have been away the past week on a trip to Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. William W. Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund W. Kellogg of Prescott street are at St. Augustine, Florida.

—Mrs. Henry J. Prudden of New Haven, Conn., is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Stocking of Central avenue.

—Mr. Edwin E. Wakefield is making improvements to the Walker house he recently purchased, on Highland avenue.

—The Woman's Guild of St. John's church will meet every Wednesday afternoon in the vestry, during Lent, at 2.30.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Read of Linwood avenue have rented for immediate occupancy a house on Washington street.

—Mr. Harry Hickox announces a private course in shorthand. Terms \$4 per month, two lessons weekly. Address The Marion, Newton.

—Mrs. Charles F. Avery of Crafts street returned Tuesday from the Boston Homoeopathic hospital and is greatly improved in health.

—Mr. R. D. McFarland and family are moving here from Wollboro, N. H., and will make their home in the Ross house on Cabot street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hiram W. Forbes, who were recently married in Gardner, will be at home after March 1st at 445 Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Brown of Mt. Vernon terrace intend giving up housekeeping and will board for the remainder of the winter.

—Messrs. J. B. and H. C. Dunbar of Watertown street went to Worcester Saturday where they will become students at the Military academy.

—The dancing class of Miss Janet C. Clark, which has been meeting in Denison hall, will in future be held on Wednesday mornings in Temple hall.

—The Fred J. Read Corporation has recently organized under the laws of Massachusetts with a capital of \$20,000 and a par value of \$25. The officers are: President, Fred D. Sawin of West Newton; treasurer, Fred J. Read of Newtonville; clerk, Richard L. Gould of Newtonville. The above officers are also directors.

Newtonville.

—Dr. W. O. Hunt of Walnut street is back from Washington, D. C.

—Rev. Richard T. Loring of Trowbridge avenue will give a series of Lenten sermons at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Watertown, on Friday evenings.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Annie I. Waterhouse, daughter of Mrs. Mary I. Waterhouse of Highland avenue to Mr. Richard B. Carter of Otis street.

—Mr. Carl Gordon Cutler of Central avenue is making arrangements for an exhibition of his American landscapes, painted since returning from Europe two seasons ago.

—At Central church next Sunday the Young Men's Class will continue the study of "The World's Greatest Young Man." The special theme will be "The Storm Upon the Sea."

—The Every Saturday Club will meet Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thompson on Otis street. The members will study the play of "Orestes," by Euripides.

—At the mid week meeting at the Methodist church this evening the seventeenth chapter of John will be considered. This High Priestly Prayer will be a most helpful study.

—The annual dramatics which were to have been given in the New Church parlors this evening have been unavoidably postponed. Notice will be given later of the date fixed for them.

—At a recent meeting of the New England Woman's Press Association held in Boston Mr. Warren F. Gregory gave an interesting address on the relation of authors and publishers and also spoke of some new publications.

—The adult class of the Sunday school connected with Central church and led by Mr. W. S. Slocum, has taken up a new course of study the general theme being, "The Books of the Bible with Relation to their Place in History."

—At the residence of Mrs. John Goddard on Brookside avenue Thursday a sewing meeting was held. Luncheon was served at 12.30 and a business meeting followed at 2.30 at which a number of important business matters were considered.

—Bishop Lawrence has appointed Sunday, March 18th for the Confirmation service. The Confirmation lectures will be held at 7.45 o'clock as follows: March 1st, Confirmation; March 8th, Creed; March 13th, Communion; March 15th, Church.

—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Leighton Cram, who died on Thursday, was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son on Lowell avenue. Rev. J. T. Stocking, pastor of Central church, officiated and the interment was in Newton Cemetery.

—About 80 men of St. John's parish were guests of Rev. R. T. Loring at his home on Trowbridge avenue last Friday evening. The occasion was an informal smoke talk and Superintendent Stanton H. King of the Sailor's Haven, Charlestown, gave an interesting account of his experiences as a sailor interspersing his remarks with sea songs.

—The parochial report of St. John's church, recently published, places the number of baptized persons in the parish as 470 and the communicants 242. Five years ago there were 168 baptized persons and 107 communicants. It is interesting to note the growth from 28 communicants seven years ago to the large number at the present time.

—The Central Club will meet Thursday evening in the parlors of Central church. Hon. Charles A. Andrews, representative from Holyoke, will be the guest of the club and will speak on "The Massachusetts Legislature." Previous to the address a discussion will be held regarding the particular object and work the club will take up in the church.

—An enthusiastic meeting of the Newtonville Improvement Association was held at the Newton Club last night. The purpose of the meeting was to increase the membership, to improve the civic conditions and looking to public improvements. The Association has raised \$13,000, towards the purchase of a park to be presented to the city. This new and lively organization has a large and most promising outlook.

—Mrs. E. H. Barton of Bowers street has moved to North Wilbraham.

—Miss Sally F. Casey of Otis street is visiting her sister in Worcester.

—Miss Flora Thompson of Crafts street is back from a visit to friends in Attleboro.

—Miss Emily Pearson of Walnut street has returned from a short trip to New York.

—Mrs. Charles C. Clapp of Chesley avenue is back from a visit to relatives in Sandwich.

—Mrs. Charles S. Dennison of Kirk-stall road returned Wednesday from a western business trip.

—At the Universalist church last Sunday Miss Lillian H. Haynes contributed a delightful cello obbligato.

—In the choir room of St. John's church, 32 candle power lights have been placed for the benefit of the ladies who meet there to sew.

—Rev. Albert Hammett pastor of the Universalist church, has been elected an honorary associate member of Charles Ward Post of the G. A. R.

—Rev. Albert Hammett commences the fourth year of his pastorate at the Universalist church next Sunday. It will be observed as Rally Sunday.

—Mrs. Waldo U. Cutler, who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. R. T. Loring of Trowbridge avenue, returned Tuesday to her home in Worcester.

—The annual parish supper will be held at the Universalist parish house next Thursday night at 6.30. To be followed by an attractive entertainment.

—A food sale under the auspices of the Mission Circle, will be held at the Universalist parish-house Saturday afternoon, March the 3rd from two until five.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sherman of New Bedford have been recent guests of Mrs. Sherman's parents Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bishop of Walnut street.

—Col. Frank B. Stevens, '80 has endowed Phillips Exeter Academy for a period of 10 years with a Latin prize of \$25 to be competed for by members of the senior class.

—At the meeting of the Bible class at the house of Miss Thompson on Otis street Monday morning Miss Kitty Thompson was the chairman. Some portions of the Bible were considered.

—Rev. O. S. Davis of New Britain, Conn., was the guest Sunday of Mr. William W. Palmer of Cabot street. Dr. and Mrs. Davis are receiving congratulations on the recent birth of a son.

—Rev. A. L. Squier will continue his series of sermons on "The Light of Yesterday on the Path of Today," at the Methodist church next Sunday evening. The special topic will be, "A Saint Badly Brought Up."

—A series of questions relative to licensing stables has been sent us for publication. The communication does not comply with our invariable rule which requires the name of the author, as an evidence of good faith.

—The monthly meeting of the Universalist Men's Club will be held in the parish house next Monday night. Supper at 6.30. The address will be given by Rev. Edward M. Noyes, the able and brilliant pastor of the Congregational church at Newton Centre, on "Some of My Experiences in the North West."

—Mrs. T. M. Elwell opened her house on Highland avenue, Tuesday, for an afternoon Whist, for the benefit of the endowment fund for the Newton branch of the Girls' Friendly Society. It was a pleasant time socially and netted a nice sum which was placed in the hands of the treasurer, Miss Mary Hackett. Mrs. Elwell was assisted in this good work by Mrs. Samuel Crosby, Secretary of the Society, and Miss Vose.

—At St. John's church Friday afternoon during Lent at 5 o'clock Rev. R. T. Loring will give a series of addresses on "Side Lights on Hard Sayings from the Prayer Book." The subject this afternoon will be, "In the Time of Man's Innocency." On Sunday afternoon at 4.30 Rev. Francis Lee Whittemore will be the preacher and Wednesday evening at 7.45, Rev. Edward T. Sullivan.

West Newton.

—Mr. A. L. Barbour is reported ill this week at his home on Perkins street.

—Mrs. Mix of Otis street is spending a part of the month in New Mexico.

—Mr. P. J. Flanagan is building a stable on his property on Kensington street.

—Mr. A. J. Stedman is making improvements to his house on Washington street.

—Mrs. Henry Flemming of Washington street is much improved from her recent illness.

—Miss Martha Boyer of Prince street returns this week from a visit to friends in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Warren of Lenox street are spending a few days in New York.

—Mrs. George W. Homer of Austin street has been a recent guest of friends in Framingham.

—Mrs. Charles B. Ferry of Berkeley street has returned from a several week's visit in Uxbridge.

—Mrs. John Pritchard is in Europe, where she will remain during the winter and spring seasons.

—Prof. and Mrs. Henry P. Talbot of Otis street returned Sunday from a trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

—Mr. Homer H. Tilton of Greenwood avenue is away on a business trip through the South.

—Mrs. Emily Webster of Fountain street is in Asheville, North Carolina, with a party of friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Otis G. Robinson have arrived from Europe coming in on the Saxonia of the Cunard line.

—Mr. Maurice E. Beardsley, manager for Pettigrew & Co. is away on a business trip to Nova Scotia.

—Dr. F. M. Lowe of Washington street has been elected a vice president of the Middlesex Sportsmen's Association.

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WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Frank W. Amidon who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor thereby named. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

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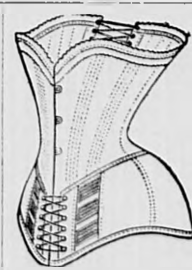
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WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Belle H. Turner, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

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W. E. ROGERS, Register.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Gustavus A. Bruce, otherwise called A. Bruce, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to ALMIRA M. WHITTEMORE, Executrix, Address 26 Washington St., Newton, Mass., Feb. 21st, 1906.



In a recent address made by Mrs. Sarah S. Platt Decker she said:—
"People say the club takes women away from home. My dear friends, we stayed away from home before there were any clubs. We stayed away for bargain sales, for parties, for theatres, for the circus. The club is to teach us to stay away from home with some good results. We have found the poor, neglected child; we have found the sad, abused child;—oh, the things we have found because we have joined hands to walk through the field of life! We are not here to play, to dream, but to work with the head, hands, and heart, to make conditions better."—Federation Bulletin.

The seventh annual edition of the Federation Directory and Club Speakers and Entertainers will be issued in the spring of 1906 in time to be of service to club committees in arranging programs for the season of 1907. Information in regard to it may be secured from the editor, Miss Helen A. Whitner.

The Art Committee of the General Federation has obtained a Travelling Art Gallery which will be sent to women's clubs in interior towns with no expense to the club save the express from the last place of exhibition. The collection consists of eighty oil and water color paintings loaned by well-known American artists, together with original etchings, many of these by old masters, loaned by Alfred Roulhier of Chicago.

Mrs. Decker, president of the General Federation, gives a word of explanation concerning the Committee on Resolutions which was appointed recently by the Executive Board of the General Federation in the March Federation Bulletin. "At the Biennial Convention in St. Louis between twenty-five and thirty resolutions were presented to the Convention through the Committee appointed for their consideration. Some of these resolutions were of the greatest import, some would alter the fate of the nation, almost, if carried out with literal interpretation, some were trivial, some impossible, and very imperfect in grammar and in phraseology. It is the desire of the Board of Directors and Officers to avoid these pitfalls at the Biennial in St. Paul. For this reason it is hoped that Resolutions from clubs, individuals, and federations, will be sent to the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, Mrs. Charles F. Stoutenborough, 1800 Sixth Avenue, West, Seattle, Washington previous to the convention, that there may be careful and painstaking consideration of each before publicity. Women's Conventions are yet on trial, and it behooves us to show systematic improvement."

The Ladies Home Circle will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, March 7, at 2:00 p. m., at the Pomroy Home, Hovey Street, Newton. Each member is requested to carry a pound of sugar. A large attendance is desired.

The Monday Club of Newton Highlands met with Mrs. Ogden on February 26. Papers were given on later Italian writers, including Petrarch, Boccaccio and Tasso with readings from them, on San Marino, the smallest republic in the world, and the City of Bologna and its university. The meeting next week will be with Miss Sweetzer of Lincoln street.

At the meeting of the West Newton Women's Educational Club on Friday, February 23, Rev. Anna Howard Shaw gave an eloquent and most interesting address upon "The Power of the Individual." She said that this power has for the most part been lacking to women and has ever been different from that of men. The difference between the boy who became a captain and the one who remained all his life before the mast was the difference between the boy who had an incentive and the visionless life. The women who are being honored today are those who have had an outside incentive. The two things which have kept women from doing more in the world are prejudice and antagonism from without and self-repression from within.

A member of the Portland Woman's Club of Portland, Oregon, was among the guests and told of the work of their club. Two dates were rendered by Mrs. Arend and Mrs. Wellman with Mrs. Robert Gorton at the piano.

The next meeting will be held on March 9, at which Miss Henrietta Goodrich, secretary of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, will speak of the work of the Union.

Mrs. Ida Council, Royal Arcanum, of Newtonville, under the leadership of Regent Harry D. Cabot, is entering upon a period of renewed activity. The new board of officers are largely young men who are entering into the work with enthusiasm. An able committee is assisting the Orator. At the first meeting under the new administration a new application was received. The Council entertained its gentlemen friends on Monday evening, February 26th, with an evening of whist with a collection, which was thoroughly enjoyed by those present. On Monday evening, March 12th, the Council will celebrate its sixteenth anniversary by a supper for members and their families at 6:30 p. m., followed by an entertainment and dancing. Renewed confidence and enthusiasm is being shown throughout the whole Order, and more members have been admitted in February than in any month since June last.

Governor McDonald, of Colorado, sent the following letter to the State Federation of Women's Clubs at its recent annual meeting:

Mrs. D. E. Greenwood,
Dear Madam: I regret very much my inability to visit the members of the Colorado Federation of Women's Clubs. I differ very decidedly from the views of some of the distinguished citizens as former President Corcoran, Cleveland, both as in the organization of women's clubs and that of women's organizations and their work.

Organizations for women formed for the multifarious purpose of better advancement, are so generally exemplified in the work of Colorado women's organizations, that they are almost a matter of course. I am glad to see that they are so generally exemplified in the work of Colorado women's organizations, that they are almost a matter of course. I am glad to see that they are so generally exemplified in the work of Colorado women's organizations, that they are almost a matter of course.

of practical civic improvement and wisely guided philanthropy.

The views of our former president should be considered without bitterness and with due regard to the fact that, while his opportunities to secure information at first hand have been limited, there may be sufficient worth in at least some of his comments to aid in constant efforts towards improvement.

Men's clubs and men's sins of omission and commission in the exercise of the right of voting are apparently exempt from criticism, from the same sources which are only too willing to question the motives and achievements of women. We should all work for the same ends,—improvement of the home, in the city, and in the State; and the woman can, and, in my opinion, does, and in these lines of effort fully as much as does the man.

The suggestion of our present chief executive, that we guard against race suicide, is commendable, and demands earnest consideration. We all realize the excellence of his judgment on this and other matters. But the child so reared as to be fit for the battles of life is a far more precious gift to society than the child cast ignorant and helpless upon the world. The lot of the latter is being made happier by the constant efforts of so many noble men and women; but the woman's club is the ounce of prevention which is worth more than a pound of cure.

To the woman's club this country will in the future look, fully as much as to the home, to see that the mother is fit, that the aunt is competent, that the friend is able, to prepare the child to become a useful citizen from choice. Women's clubs do noble duty. They make better citizens of the women, who in turn make it possible for the children to become better citizens. They also make better citizens of the men, because the standard of the home is regulated by the standing of its individual members.

The woman who spends her life by the fireside amid scenes of undisturbed domesticity performs a noble and holy duty; but the woman who judiciously avails herself of the modern woman's club in its various branches can, in my opinion, perform these same duties, or equally valuable ones, more intelligently.

Because I feel so clearly that my opinions are right on these matters, I regret the more my unavoidable absence. Sincerely,
Jesse F. McDonald,
Governor of Colorado.

The Colorado club women decided to have one thousand copies of the governor's letter printed for distribution over the country.

The Social Science Club met at the Humeville Club on Wednesday morning. Mrs. Hornbrook's paper was unavoidably postponed and Dr. Walcott Calkins kindly filled the place by reading a paper upon "San Marino." The smallest republic, so-called, in the world, containing but twenty square miles and having a population of about 10,000 inhabitants. While this community has remained independent for over 1500 years and is called a republic, it is in reality a theocratic oligarchy and a close corporation; a paternal government that does everything while the people do nothing. Dr. Calkins had made a detailed study of the government and its working and told of it in a most interesting way, so that everyone present felt the desire to visit the curious place when in its vicinity. The meeting closed with a rising vote of thanks to the speaker.

The next meeting of the Social Science Club will be the annual meeting and a large attendance is desired.

Mrs. and Mr. Frederick A. Wetherbee, of Bellevue street, Newton, entertained the Newton Equal Suffrage League on Tuesday evening, February 27. Owing to the illness of the president, Mrs. M. T. Rowe, Mrs. E. N. L. Walton, the honorary-president, presided. The speaker for the evening was Mrs. Katharine Lente Stevenson, who gave a most enjoyable address on "Christian Citizenship." She said that by the terms of Christian citizenship she meant the bringing to the duties of the citizen the highest ideals which we call Christian. These principles she named as justice, the "not being willing that any should perish," and the recognition that "we are all members one of another." The greatest wrong, she said, that can be inflicted upon a human being is the denial of justice. Christian citizenship belongs not to you alone, but to the humblest and the weakest. As an illustration of the togetherness which is needed by all Mrs. Stevenson told a pathetic story of a poor woman in Chicago, being without even the necessities of life, and the settlement workers went to her assistance, thanked them for their kindness, but said most pathetically, "I don't want things, I want folks."

The people are coming to understand one another better. At a convention of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union held in Geneva, she told how the American delegates, then the English and later the Swiss sang their national hymns each to the same tune. In closing she said that the time is coming when all nations shall be filled with the knowledge of light and truth and love as the waters cover the sea.

Mrs. Henry R. Eager, state organizer of the Woman's Suffrage Association, was present and told of work being done in the Sherwin School district in Boston by a conference committee on Moral Education. In establishing Mothers' Meetings among other things. Mrs. Eager also gave a short report of the recent convention of the National Woman's Suffrage Association at Baltimore.

A delightful feature of the meeting was the fine music consisting of duets for organ and piano, by Prof. James W. Hill and Mrs. F. A. Wetherbee, and the solo songs by Mr. Alcott of Newtonville. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

So much is being done by other clubs in raising money beforehand for the Federation Bazaar by whists, luncheons and in other ways that the committee in charge of the Newton Table have decided to hold a tea at the home of Mrs. Warren F. Gregory, Walnut street, Newtonville, on Saturday afternoon, March 10, from three to five. A letter stating that it is hoped in this way to secure a substantial sum for the fund.

Tanner & Wilson have sold a fine house on Pleasant street, South Boston, containing 6100 sq. ft. for the state. The house is owned by Sarah J. Ryan who will build.

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CHESNUTT, Chas. Waddell. The Colonel's Dream. C425C
"Deals with some of the recent problems of the race question in the South."

CHURCHILL, Winston Leonard Spencer. Lord Randolph Churchill. 2 vols. EC4761
"A contribution to the history of the last century, and not less to that small but attractive province of English letters, biographical art." Spectator.

CLAY, Beatrice. Stories of King Arthur and the Round Table. YL45.C57

CLIFFORD, Mollie Lee. Yippy: the autobiography of a Monkey. J601.237
Story of an organ-grinder's monkey.

DAVEY, John. Davey's Primer on Trees and Birds. JNX.D27
Illustrated with photographs by the author also with cuts and descriptions of birds furnished by the Agricultural Dept. of the U. S. Government.

DE LA PASTURE, Mrs. Henry Peter's Mother. D3749

DOUGLAS, Jas. Old France in the New World: Quebec in the Seventeenth Century. F827.D74

HOUGHTON, Louise Seymour. Telling Bible Stories, with introd. by T. T. Munger. CBB.1181

HUME, Martin Andrew Sharp. The Wives of Henry the Eighth and the Parts they played in History. F4546.11

LOOMIS, Chas. Battell. Minerva's Manoeuvres: the cheerful facts of a "Return to Nature." L873mi

MERINGTON, Marguerite. Cranford, a Play; a comedy in three acts made from Mrs. Gaskell's famous story. YDM.54

MILTOUN, Francis, pseud. Rambles in Normandy. G39N7.316

Moore, N. Hudson. Children of other Days. JWPV.M78

Notable pictures of children of various countries and times, after paintings by great masters, with stories and descriptions.

OUR Holidays, their meaning and spirit; retold from St. Nicholas. JVA.O93

POTTER, Mrs. Knight. The Art of the Venice Academy. WC30.P83a
Contains a brief history of the building and of its collection of paintings as well as descriptions and criticisms of many of the principal pictures and their artists.

REED, James, and Hay, Henry Clinton. Earthly Problems in a Heavenly Light: Bennett Sermons, 1904. CZ.R25

SMYTH, John Paterson. The Old Documents and the New Bible. CBC.S66

SWINGLE, Calvin F. Modern Locomotive Engineering: with Questions and Answers. TDT.S97

WALLACE, Alfred Russell. My Life: a record of Events and Opinions, 2 vols. EW155.W

WAR in the Far East, 1904-5; by the Military Correspondent of the Times, with maps and plans by Percy Fisher. F607.T48

The work is made out of the letters of the various correspondents employed in 1904-5 by the Times newspaper.

D. R.

One of the most enjoyable social meetings of Sarah Hall Chapter, D. R., was held at the residence of Mrs. Alvin H. Clifford, 308 Walnut street, Newtonville, on Monday, Feb. 26, 1906 from 2:30 to 5 p. m. Mrs. F. T. Benner, the regent, presided, introducing Rev. N. T. Whitaker of Marlboro, Mass., who delivered a very entertaining address on the "Work of Washington and Lincoln." Mrs. Ralph C. Emery rendered a group of songs in her usual charming manner. At the close of the entertainment the hostesses, Mrs. Edward P. Bosson, Mrs. Alvin H. Clifford, Mrs. Warren F. Gregory, Mrs. Charles L. Pearson, Mrs. Louis C. Stanton, Mrs. Charles O. Tucker and Mrs. Mitchell Wing received in the parlors and refreshments were served in the dining room which was prettily decorated with red and white carnations.

Y. M. C. A.

Next Wednesday evening, March 7th, occurs the last basketball game of the season. Two games will be played with Boston Y. M. C. A.

On the 15th of March will be held the State Meet. Worcester, Boston, Malden, Cambridge, Providence, Somerville and other Associations will compete. Last year Newton won the meet.

21 beautiful cups are now on exhibition at Woodmans, 500 Washington street, Boston, but will be placed in local windows for display after March 3rd.

The older boys' meeting will be held Sunday at 4 P. M. Rev. W. T. McElveen of Boston will address the boys.

Wednesday evening, six representatives of the Newton Y. M. C. A. Chess Club played against six Harvard men chosen by Cogswell one of Harvard's best players. The game was played at the Harvard Union and a good time was enjoyed by all. The Newton team was beaten.

A pool tournament is now being played by the senior members. The games have been very close and Edw. Porter, Jack Flood, John Ward and John Barry are all near the top of the list. A beautiful cup will be presented to the winner.

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Newton.

—Fake collectors for money due for cleaning trees have been operating in this village during the past week and the police are now after them.

—The first of the Lenten services of Channing church were held on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mr. Hudson taking the story of "The Manger" for his subject. Miss Alice Mabel Stanaway was the soloist. Mr. Harrison, organist, and Wm. F. Dodge, violinist. Next Wednesday at 4 P. M. the subject will be, "The Youth Jesus."

—In the chapel of the Eliot church Tuesday afternoon the Foreign Missionary department of the Woman's association entertained District No. 4 of Suffolk branch which includes the Anglicans of the Newtons, Wellesley Hills and Needham. Mrs. C. H. Daniels of South Framingham made an address on "A Call to Prayer for Missions." A social hour followed.

—The Wednesday afternoon organ recitals have been discontinued for the present at Eliot church but the church will be open to visitors on that day from 2 to 5 P. M. At 5 o'clock on Wednesday during Lent there will be a half hour service in the church parlor consisting of prayers and expositions of the "Seven Last Words of Christ." Next week's subject will be, "Today Shalt Thou be with Me in Paradise."

—The second organ recital of the Lenten season at the Eliot church will be given next Thursday evening, with Mr. S. Archer Gibson of the Brick Church of New York city as organist. He will be assisted by Mme. Adelina Rossini, the harpist at the same church and a rare musical treat is promised. The program is as follows:

Prelude in D minor Mendelssohn
a. Adagio. b. Cantabile. Widor
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Cantabile Nuptiale Dubois
Prayer (Harp and Organ) Franck
a. Siciliano. b. Minuet Handel
(From the Organ Concertos)
a. Fantasia in G minor Bach
b. Three Choral Preludes Bach
Intermezzo (Harp and Organ) Bizet
The Swan (Harp and Organ)
Liebestod. "Tristan and Isolde" Saint Saens
a. Daybreak. b. Solveig's Song Wagner
c. Gavotte
Hymn to St. Cecilia Gounod
(Harp and Organ)
Spring Song Gibboni
Overture to "William Tell" Rossini

Newton Centre.

—Mr. Alvin Flanders is ill this week at his home on Norwood avenue.

—Mrs. Ella F. Brown has been ill the past week at her home on Institution avenue.

—Miss Alma Sworer of Greenwood street is recovering from an attack of throat trouble.

—Mr. and Mrs. George F. Richardson of Marshall street are back from a trip to Colorado.

—Letter carrier D. H. Hannagan has recovered from his recent accident and is covering his route again.

—Prof. W. Z. Ripley leaves today for a six months trip in Europe where he will study industrial conditions.

—Mrs. Sara G. Farwell of Moreland avenue is in Chicago and vicinity, where she is filling lecture engagements.

—Mrs. J. H. Sanborn of Chase street has had as a recent guest her father, Mr. Warren Foote of Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Repairs are being made to the house on Commonwealth avenue, occupied by Mr. Ralph C. Henry, which was recently damaged by fire.

Mr. W. A. Tucker of Boston is having a handsome new residence built on Hammond street. Goodwin & Mitchell of Brookline have the contract.

—The Fortnightly Club met Wednesday with Mr. A. C. Badger on Chase street. Prof. William Ward gave an interesting address on "Old Japan."

—The first social for men of the First church parish will be held at the home of Mr. A. T. Tilney on Marshall street, March 13th. Hon. Samuel L. Powers will be the guest and speaker.

—Mrs. W. E. Huntington entertained the Women's Missionary Society at her home on Commonwealth avenue last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. L. Fowle gave an interesting talk on Current Events.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Katherine Hinckley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Baxter Hinckley, Jr., of Commonwealth avenue, and Mr. Hartley Harris Bartlett, son of Commander Charles W. Bartlett, U. S. N.

—In the Pleasant street reading room next Friday morning at 10.30 o'clock Miss Martha A. S. Shannon will give the next of her lectures on "The Story of Rome and the Marble Faun." She will take for her special theme, "The Vatican, Hadrian's Tomb."

—Mr. John Hermann Lund gave the next in his series of organ recitals at the First Baptist church, Monday evening. There was a good audience and those present listened to an artistic program from compositions from Bach, Guilmant, Handel, Wesley, and others.

—Mr. Henry P. Read has sold for F. A. Ober of Newton his frame double house situated No. 121-123 Cypress street, Newton Centre, containing about 12,000 feet of land. The whole assessed for \$4,000, of which \$1,000 is on the land. The purchaser, Mr. F. A. Leavitt of Brookline, buys for investment and will occupy one side of the house.

—Rev. E. M. Noyes of Warren street was among the speakers at the meeting in the interest of the American Board of Foreign Missions held last Tuesday in Manchester, N. H. Rev. Mr. Noyes will also make one of the addresses at the annual meeting of the Suffolk branch of the Woman's Board of Missions to be held in Cambridge on Tuesday.

—The annual meeting of the Suffolk Branch of Junior Auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions was held Saturday at the First church. The evening service was open to the public and interesting addresses were made by Mrs. J. D. Davis of Kyoto, Japan and Rev. John Hopkins Denison of the Central church, Boston.

Newton Centre.

—Mr. A. D. Claffin has returned from a vacation trip to Jackson, N. H.

—Mr. Cyrus Baker is making improvements to his house on Hammond street.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rice of Centre street are back from a trip to Atlantic City, N. J.

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—Mrs. Edward B. Bowen of Summer street is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Nash of Auburndale.

—Alderman Bowen sailed Saturday from New York on the "Umbria" for a short business trip to England.

—Mrs. Agnes M. Noyes, who has been the guest of her son on Warren street, returned Friday to New York.

—Mr. George Ellis of Grant avenue has been entertaining his son and his wife from Washington the past week.

—Representative Lowell has returned from Virginia and has resumed his legislative duties at the State House.

—Rev. Dr. E. D. Burr, who has been away for the past month through the south and west will be in Baltimore on Sunday.

—The editor of the Town Crier has issued a beautiful calendar for 1906, bearing an embossed representation of a town crier.

—Mrs. Badger entertained the Fortnightly Club last Wednesday. Prof. Ward gave an interesting address on "Old Japan."

—Miss Charlotte Swain of Crescent avenue is in Seattle, Washington, where she will spend several months with her brother.

—Mr. Francis Hardon Burr has been appointed by the freshmen of Harvard College, as chairman of the committee to have charge of the smokers for the second half year.

—In Bray hall Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Waldo Richards will give a dramatic and dialect recital. There are 35 patronesses including many ladies of the society set.

—At the Methodist church next Sunday evening Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling will give the third of his series of short practical talks on Life. The special subject will be, "Busy with Small Things."

—At the Methodist church last evening Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling gave a lecture on "The Life of Christ." The subject was illustrated by stereopticon views and was much enjoyed by those present.

—Mr. George B. H. Macomber of Homer street is vice president and treasurer of the firm of Remington, Macomber & Co., of New York, which has the building contract for a large new stone building in Albany, N. Y.

—Lieut. Col. W. L. Sanborn of the 1st Brigade and Major Morton E. Cobb of the 2nd Brigade were among the guests present at the annual lecture of the National Landers held in Bulfinch Street Armory, Boston, Wednesday evening.

Upper Falls.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Locke of Boylston street spent the past week at Dalton, Mass.

—The Pierian Club will meet with Mrs. Arthur Thompson of Newton Highlands next Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Nutter of Oak street spent a few days of the past week at Somersworth, N. H., the guests of Mr. Nutter's parents.

—At the M. E. church next Sunday; at 10.45 Holy Communion and the reception of members. At 7 topic, "A Declaration that faith is true."

—Mr. Charles Tenperley and family, formerly of this village have removed to New York where Mr. Tenperley has a fine position. His many friends congratulate him on his success in the Life Saving Service.

—The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church held their monthly supper in the vestry on Thursday at 6.30. At 8 a Washington's Birthday entertainment in which some of the school children took part was enjoyed by all.

—The subscription whist held at Arcanum hall was a financial success, also a very social affair. The following prizes were awarded: Mrs. William Dawson, ladies first prize, a book by F. Marion Crawford; second prize was won by Miss Linda Nickerson, a china bon-bon dish. The gentlemen's prizes were a book which Mr. Alex. Dresser captured and a pack of cards won by Mr. Childs.

Colesworthy-Anderson.

A pretty home wedding took place at the manse in West Somerville Thursday evening at 6 o'clock when Mrs. Rachel Annie Anderson, formerly of Newton, was united in marriage to Mr. Andrew Brooks Colesworthy of West Somerville. The ceremony was performed at 6 o'clock, with only the relatives present, and the officiating clergyman was Rev. Mr. Berthelme, pastor of the Day Street Congregational Church. There were no attendants. The bride was gown in a beautiful creation of Alice Blue Satin Messaline, cut en train, and trimmed with Point de Venise lace. A largely attended reception followed from 8 to 10 o'clock at the home of the groom, 33 Simpson avenue. The bride couple being assisted in receiving by Miss Eva Maud Colesworthy, daughter of the groom. The house decorations were a profusion of Daybreak and white carnations. The Misses Gladys Stephens of Newton, Nellie De Bow of West Somerville and Ruth Redmond of Roxbury assisted in serving and the ushers were Messrs. Carroll Quinton Jones, William Loughrey and James Bennett of Somerville and John Redmond of Roxbury. There were many beautiful gifts of silver, china and cut glass also a handsome china dinner set, a gift from Hope Rebecca Lodge of Waburn of which the bride is a prominent member. Mr. Colesworthy is a veteran of the Civil War and is a member of John A. Andrew Post 15, of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Colesworthy will be at home Wednesdays in May at 33 Simpson avenue.

Newton Highlands.

—Miss Marion Pollard of Bowdoin street is ill.

—Mr. W. D. Hoffman is in Philadelphia this week.

—W. T. Logan is visiting his brother in New York city.

—Mrs. C. G. Twombly is home again from Newport, R. I.

—Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Allen—a son.

—Arthur W. Tarbell is at home from a trip to Jamaica, W. I.

—The Monday Club meets next week with Miss Sweetzer, Lincoln street.

—Miss M. Daley of New York is the guest of Mrs. James Guiler, Saxon road.

—G. W. Watson, who has been confined to the house for a week is out again.

—Mrs. S. L. Eaton entertained the Browning Club at her home, Lake avenue, last evening.

—The Shakespeare Club will meet with Mrs. Edgar J. Smith, Lake avenue tomorrow, Saturday, evening.

—Harry C. Savage returned Monday from Jamaica, West Indies, after a pleasant trip and much improved in health.

—Rev. G. T. Smart gave a lecture at the Wheaton Seminary at Norton, Mass., on "The English Cathedral" last Wednesday evening.

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—The M. E. church was well filled last Sunday evening to listen to the last of the very interesting sermons given by Rev. Mr. Charlton for the benefit of the younger members of his society.

—Mr. Augustine Jones of Lincoln street gave a very interesting talk last Sunday evening before the C. E. Society at the Congregational church on Whittiers and showed some autograph letters.

—Next Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock the Rev. J. E. Charlton will continue his short talks on practical subjects and the topic is "The Unseen Watchman." One and all are cordially invited to attend this service and enjoy the hour with us.

—The many friends here of Rev. Harry L. Martell, of Neponset, Illinois, will sympathize with him in the recent loss of his wife, Sarah Margaret, who died of pneumonia, Feb. 12. She was the daughter of the late Rev. Richard Winsor of Sirar, India, and a niece of Mrs. Eliza Thompson of this place. Mrs. Martell's bright unselfish spirit and rare sweetness of character greatly endeared her to everyone with whom she came in contact.

—An especially delightful evening was enjoyed on Feb. 22 at the M. E. church in the form of a birthday party. After an entertainment consisting of piano solo by Miss Mackenzie and Clarence Haskell and readings by the pastor from the works of Dickens and Eugene Field, refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. J. B. Haskell. Then came the games. Mrs. J. E. Charlton took charge of the children in the vestry and the older folks were in the charge of the pastor in the ladies parlor. Another social of similar type is already being asked for.

—The annual meeting of the Improvement Association was held in the hall of the Hyde School house on Monday evening and there was a large attendance. Mr. Frank R. Moore, the president was in the chair, and these officers were re-elected: President, Frank R. Moore; vice-president, Prof. Augustine Jones; secretary, A. H. Elder; treasurer, C. M. Mercer; executive committee, C. E. Johnson, Jr., F. R. Hayward, A. S. Hutchinson, Mrs. A. S. Hutchinson, Mrs. F. E. Withee. An excellent entertainment was provided, including songs by Mr. H. D. Gardner, a song and stories by Mr. H. C. Johnson, readings by Mrs. C. D. Miller and music on mandolin and guitar by S. G. Johnson. Philip Campbell and E. L. and Chester Davis. There was an earnest discussion upon the matter of a new school house in the Hyde district, remarks in favor of a new and adequate building being made by President Moore, ex-almirant G. H. Mellen, Mr. S. W. Jones and Mr. C. S. Luitweiler. A committee consisting of Messrs. G. H. Mellen, S. W. Jones, G. B. King, C. S. Luitweiler and F. R. Moore was appointed to urge this matter upon the city government.

Hunnewell Club.

The assembly hall was crowded last night at the entertainment provided by Mr. and Mrs. Elias Day. These artists have been the attractions in previous years and always make a warm place in the affections of the members. Last night was no exception to the rule and the large audience thoroughly enjoyed the entire program.

In the club bowling tournament, team 3, Capt. Loring is in the lead with a total of 14 wins. Capt. Loveland's team is second with 11.

An eight man tournament will be run during March.

The ladies tournament is proving a close race between teams captained respectively by Miss Loring and Mrs. Howard, the former with 14 wins leading the latter by one point.

The Saturday night whist was won by C. H. Russell and E. F. Sawyer with Mrs. Cummings and Gleason, second.

Ladies matinee whist is scheduled for next Thursday.

The March Neighborhood night will take place next Tuesday and an attractive program has been arranged.

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Auburndale.

—Good progress is being made on the new boat house at Weston bridge. The roof is on and work has begun in the interior.

—Mr. George M. Fiske was elected a member of the executive committee of the 42nd Regiment Association on Wednesday night.

—In the current number of "The World's Work" is an excellent picture of Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark, founder and president of the Society of Christian Endeavor.

—Mr. Albert Blair of Weston was among the passengers sailing on the White Star liner "Canopic" last Saturday for a sojourn in southern Europe.

—Mrs. Annie Paugh, who has been the guest of her niece Mrs. Charles S. Cowdrey on Owanatona street has returned to her home on Staten Island, N. Y.

—Mrs. Charles M. Lamson of Central street will be among the speakers at the annual meeting of the Suffolk Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions to be held in Cambridge next Tuesday.

—In the chapel of the Congregational church last Wednesday evening an enjoyable social was held under the direction of the Young People's Society. An entertaining program was presented.

—Mr. Edward B. Wildman of West Pine street, formerly at the local post office, began his duties yesterday as clerk in charge at Newton Upper Falls. Mr. James Feerick is the new clerk here.

—The members of the senior class of Wellesley College held their annual dance at the Woodland Park Hotel, last Friday evening. About 100 couples were present and the affair was an enjoyable one.

—Mrs. Joseph Cook will speak on "His Own City: Jerusalem," at the Congregational church on Sunday. This address will be a continuation of the studies in Christ's Life the general theme being, "The Setting of the Wonderful Life."

—Mr. George E. Francis of Vista avenue who is a student at the Vifton Academy, Tilton, N. H., will participate with the school team in the debate with the team of the Holderness school at Holderness later in March.

—The many friends here of Mr. Amos Andrews will be interested to learn that he has been appointed to collect the agricultural statistics in this district which comprises Waltham, Belmont, Lexington, Watertown and Newton.

—The students of Lasell Seminary have raised \$50 for the International Institute for Girls in Spain. They will give it the name of Miss Caroline Carpenter thus making her a life member of the International Institute League.

—At a memorial service to the late Mrs. Judson Smith, for 16 years president of the Woman's Board of Missions, held under the auspices of the board in Boston Friday, Mrs. Joseph Cook and Rev. Dr. E. E. Strong were among the speakers.

—Mr. Henry E. Mozealous, who is a member of the Mozart Club, participated in the entertainment given at the Hotel Vendome, Boston, last Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Woman's Charity Club. Mr. Everett H. Titcomb was the pianist and accompanist.

—In Norumbega hall last Thursday evening Miss Elizabeth Cornerais gave a pretty masquerade party for the members of her dancing class. The hall was attractively decorated with flags and hunting and dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 11 o'clock. Among the many unique costumes were a chieftain, clown, negro, gentleman, Indian Squaw, violet and Uncle Sam.

—At the Church of the Messiah Lenten services will be held Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 4.30. On Friday evenings at 7.45 there will be Litany with addresses. The Sunday evening addresses will be by Rev. John Matteson, Rev. Francis E. Webster, Rev. Frederick A. Reeve, Rev. Dr. George W. Shinn, Rev. Thomas L. Cole and Rev. James C. Sharp.

Newton Club.

The Congressional dinner tomorrow evening will be the most attractive feature of the season. The speakers are Hon. Spencer Blackburn of North Carolina, Hon. H. M. Hogg of Colorado, Hon. Robert M. Nevins of Ohio and Congressman Weeks.

At duplicate whist Monday evening, the plus scores were made by DeLano and Hickox, 6, Rice and Shaw, 4, T.2, Nash and Brown, 4, Sherman and Hill, 3.

Newton League.

Hunnewell lost the lead in the Boston pin tournament Wednesday night when Maugus won two out of three on the local club's alleys. Learned with 201 was high man for the home team, while Edmunds of Maugus with a single of 130 and a total of 328 led the procession. The Boat club on its own alleys was defeated by Alston in three straight games, and Newton did the same trick with Riverdale on the latter's alleys.

Hunnewell is now tied with Alston golf for second place.

The annual meeting of the Norumbega District Massachusetts Sunday School Association was held Wednesday afternoon and evening at Central church, Newtonville. The afternoon speakers were District President Charles A. Haskell, Rev. J. T. Stocking, Rev. Dr. John D. Pickles, the Educational Secretary, Mr. W. C. King and others.

Rev. Dr. F. N. Peloubet was in charge of the post prandial exercises and in the evening Mr. A. H. Knight of Shrewsbury and Rev. Dr. George S. Butters of Newton were the speakers.

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MIDDLESEX ss. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hosea Chase Hoyt late of Newton, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by Frances Chesley, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to her, or some other lawful person, the executor named in said will having declined the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at said Court, County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

MARY J. SCHOFIELD, Executrix.

Address Newtonville, Mass.

February 28, 1906.

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SARAH E. STUART, Executrix.

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—Miss S. A. Smith is attending the millinery openings in New York this week.

—Hon. Samuel L. Powers has been ill a part of the week at his home on Arlington street.

—Mr. Waterman spent last week in N. Y. and secured a large assortment of furniture, drapery stuff, laces, etc.

—We learn with pleasure that Mr. Ward Parks who has been ill with pneumonia, is well on the road toward recovery.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. Holbrook Lowell of Boston were guests of Mrs. Wm. L. Lowell at The Hollis for a few days last week.

—The Rev. Mr. Eustis of Colorado is expected to preach in Grace church on Sunday morning and the Rev. Mr. Cole at night.

—Mrs. A. A. Roff, formerly Elsie C. Elliott, of Troy, N. Y., is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Elliott of Maple street.

—Mr. William A. Alexander of Boyd street has been visiting his brother, who has been quite ill in Maine. Mrs. Louis M. Alexander is much improved from her recent illness.

—Grace church held a large and deeply interested congregation last Sunday night. The sacred cantata of The Holy City was admirably rendered. On the 22d of April the vested choir will sing Stainer's "Raising of Jairus' Daughter."

—The second in the series of weekly Lenten services was held in Channing church, on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Subject: "The Boyhood visit to the Temple." Mrs. Ralph C. Emery was the soloist. Services will be held next Wednesday at 4 p. m.

—Mr. Matthew Gage of Riverside, California, was a recent guest of Mr. E. M. Springer of Kenrick park. Mr. Gage originated and is principal owner of the extensive canal system of irrigation which has added so much to the productivity and beauty, to that part of California.

—Six Episcopal ministers in this vicinity have agreed to preach special sermons on Sunday nights in the different churches. The general topic chosen is "All for Christ." In Grace church the Rev. Mr. Cole will give some answers to the questions: "What has religion to do with our amusements?" The seats are free to all, especially to boys and men.

—Mr. Charles B. Fillebrown, president of the Massachusetts Single Tax League, lectured before the Department of Political Economy, Political Science, and Sociology, at the University of Chicago, February 20, 1905, upon the Place of Land Values in a Scientific System of Taxation. The lecture was received with great interest and attention and aroused a good many questions from the audience.

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—Florence, the young daughter of Mr. D. F. Barber, has been ill this week at her home on Newtonville avenue.

—Captain J. D. Paine, a former well known resident of Newton, will observe his 80th birthday in North Falmouth next Tuesday.

—The children of Miss Hayward's dancing class will close the season with a party at the Hunnewell Club next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

—At the annual meeting of the New England Hardware Dealer's Association held in Boston Saturday Mr. D. Fletcher Barber was elected a member of the board of directors.

—Mr. and Mrs. George B. Foster of Grasmere street are back after an extended absence. Their daughter, Mrs. Albert B. Craig has returned from a visit to relatives in Baltimore.

—The regular meeting of the Newton Monday Evening Club was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. A. W. Fuller on Newtonville avenue. Mr. F. E. Stanley gave an interesting talk descriptive of the flying machine.

—Next Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Eliot church parlor Rev. F. S. Hatch will continue his half hour Lenten service. He will continue his exposition of the "Seven Last Words of Jesus," taking for a theme, "Woman Behold Thy Son."

—The Helpers will meet in the parlors of Eliot church next Thursday afternoon and will consider the topic, "Little Islands of the Pacific." The leaders of the society are Miss Mary L. Speare, Mrs. Howard R. Mason, Miss Carolyn H. Childs.

—Mrs. S. J. Norris will entertain the Women's Missionary Societies of the Methodist church at her home on Church street next Monday evening. Mrs. George S. Butters will be the leader and the topic, "The Nile Country. Only a Woman."

—At the meeting of the Unitarian Club next Thursday evening, Prof. M. L. Perrin of Wellesley will speak on "Life among the Indians of the Northwest." Prof. Perrin lived with the Indians for some months and is well qualified to speak of their special traits.

—At a meeting of the Worcester Polytechnic Branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers to be held this evening in Worcester Mr. Howard S. Knowlton of Church street will give an illustrated lecture on "Some Operating Features of the Boston Elevated Railway Companies' System."

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The Auto hearings have been held, and they were, as usual, very interesting. Several facts and some fiction has been brought out, the facts cannot help but aid the committee in making a report, whatever the legislature may do at last. It is quite probable that no bill can be reported that the legislature will not amend before it becomes a law. For example, it will be a difficult thing to convince the General Court that twenty miles is a safe and satisfactory speed on the highway. A committee may be argued into such a belief, but the average man knows that anything going over the road, horse or machine, at that rate is a dangerous element. Another thing that has become pretty well fixed in the public mind, and the legislature represents the public mind, is that any system of fines is a poor regulator of reckless driving of automobiles. The careful driver ought not to fear an imprisonment penalty, and a careless driver ought to suffer such a penalty. Ex-Judge Keyes of Concord stated that he could stop his machine within the space of seven feet when going at the rate of 25 miles an hour, and Judge Brackett matched that statement with the remark that he thought that there would be considerable activity in front of a machine upon the part of the occupants of Mr. Keyes' car when it came to a stop after such an attempt. The town of Bourne has the reputation of being one of the places for automobiles to keep away from. Selectman Briggs said that he didn't want the Highway Commissioners to fix the speed limit, for they like to ride fast themselves. In Bourne even the Governor was held up for speeding. Last year Bourne spent five hundred dollars for automobile officers, and got back \$370 in fines. He said that the only way to stop reckless drivers is with a shot gun. George H. Stoddard said that Bourne was the meanest town in the state, and Selectman Briggs answered that it had the meanest set of automobilists to deal with. J. W. Killam of Reading stated that the dust from speeding automobiles caused much discomfort to people living along the principal streets in his town. Hon. T. K. Lothrop said that people in Manchester-by-the-Sea had been obliged to close their private roads where their wives and daughters could drive safely since the invasion of the highways by automobiles. As time goes by, it seems to be more difficult to fit the automobile to the situation than ever, and the only evident solution of the problem appears to be the regulation of speed by a limited gear, and the confiscation of any machine possessing the capacity to exceed that limit if found in operation on the highways.

The mysterious dress suit case made its appearance the other day at the State House. The case was not the same one that occupied the attention of the entire state a few months ago, but in some respects it was fully as mysterious. It made its appearance in the Railroad Committee room and was brought in by the Hon. Silas D. Reed, who came before the committee to show reasons why the express companies should be supervised by the Railroad Commission. At an impressive moment, the Senator reached down and took the case from under the table, and placed it very emphatically before the committee, with the words, "That is the identical case." Mr. L. S. Dabney, who appeared for the Express Companies, drew back as though he feared some awful disclosure, and Chairman Nevin adjusted his glasses to see if he could spell out "Nathan" on the end of the case, but Mr. Reed dispelled the suspense by continuing "that is the identical case that the Express Company charged forty cents for taking it seven miles, and twenty-five cents from Taunton to Newburyport." Chairman Hayes drew a long breath and took another pull at his Havana Old Hundred. The impression prevailed that the case contained the congressional aspirations of the naive Senator from the First Bristol District, and that it was for that reason that the Express Company advanced the charges.

The sub-committee on Metropolitan affairs has received from Attorney General Malone the bill which has been drawing at their request, based on Governor Child's inaugural address, recommendation for a single-headed Police Commissioner and an excise board for the City of Boston. Before this proposition is enacted into law, it would perhaps be well to pause and reflect. There is a good deal of political history lying back of the date of the Governor's message, and there is likely to be history to be written relating to political events yet to transpire. They say up in Worcester, where it is, on trial, that the single-headed Police Commissioner and an Excise Board fails to meet with entire approval. Dark whippers pervade the still air which are ominous and call for caution and circumspection.

The cigarette bill came pretty near winning out last Friday in the House, where it was debated at length and at last defeated by a vote of 86 to 75. If five or six of the Western members, who are known to be anti's, had waited until a later train before going home, they would have perhaps made it unlawful to manufacture, sell or give away the juvenile enemy of the juvenile element of the population; that is, so far as the House is concerned. However, there was the Senate and at last the Governor to pass upon the matter, and it perhaps would have been impossible to put out the cigarette that has put out the ambitions of thousands of our youth. Representative O'Rourke of Worcester fought nobly for the bill, and Captain Griswold of Greenfield stood by the Committee's report in an able manner.

Representative Luce got out his big stick last week, with which he proposed to club the lobby. Mr. Luce is a valiant warrior and the poor old lobby will be severely handled by the Somerville man before he gets through. But he will get through, as others before him have, and when the dust has settled, not a man will be missed when the role is called in the sullen camp. President Dana, who was at the hearing, parted the curtains and let a flood of light in, by asking if after all the most effective remedy would not be to elect good men to the legislature. Mr. Luce had better attack the gypsy moth, it's easier to exterminate and a good deal more harmful in reality.



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The other day the gavel of Speaker Cole hit the desk with a degree of force that hushed, even the denizens of Murderer's Row, and as the unusual silence became almost oppressive, the calm voice of the man who made Walker of Brookline fall in last winter, was heard to say: "The place to talk is in the ante-room, the only person who has a right to talk in this room is the gentleman who may have for the time being possession of the floor." For a full minute the only voice that was heard, was Griswold of Greenfield, but gradually the tongues of the members were unloosed, and the eyes of the Speaker were turned toward Heaven, as he sank into his seat with a look which seemed to say, "Why did I take it?"

The present is to be an eventful week in respect to committee hearings. Among the matters of interest to be considered are the Telephone, Licensing, Charvovants and Mediums, and several other bills of public interest. The Governor signed the Milk Can Bill while the milkmen were yet asleep on their carts. As a result, they will have to clean their milk cans and keep them clean, for the law puts heavy fines on dirty cans, and certain methods of laundering them. Ten dollars on every milk can is a good deal more than they cost, consequently, it would be safer to use some of the water that is now put in the milk in washing out the cans, than to take any chances.

Representative Brigham, backed by Representative Conway, is trying to get through a bill pensioning people who have battled with the storms of life for sixty years, and who, in their old age, are otherwise unprovided for. It seems to be an unwritten law of life that the most of us are not to be worried to death by Carnegie's anxiety about dying rich, and it is very kind of Mr. Brigham, as the hair on his head is rapidly thinning, to remember those who are looking toward the setting sun, and who have long since forgotten the oscillations of the cradle, but it is feared that the legislature, under the leadership of the hardhearted chairman of the Ways and Means Committee will not be so kind.

Between the frequent visits of Mayor Fitzgerald, and District Attorney Moran to the State House, it can be confidently assured that the legislature is not wanting in spectacular events. Moran has receded somewhat from his demanding attitude, and is waiting, with some degree of patience, the pleasure of the Governor and the legislature. But Fitzgerald is still deluded with the idea that he is looking out of a cab window and that he is just a little the slickest piece of furniture that was ever dusted in the City Hall. He cannot have forgotten McNary and John A. Sullivan, whose obsequies have not yet been published.

There are thirty-one members of the House who have proven by their past records in the House that they possess the power, in some degree, to convince by argument. As debate has only just begun for the session the number may be increased within the next two months, but at present there is nearly one in eight who may be counted as effective debaters. The roll of persuasive speakers is considerably less in the Senate, where there are two Democrats are just thirty-one Republicans in that body, all of whom cannot be enrolled as masters in debate or possessing silver tongues. Some of them are good Senators at the same time.

The Water Supply Committee is to report a bill for Springfield this week. It will be observed that the emphasis is placed upon the little word "a," which has only one letter in it, whereas the word "their" has five letters, if correctly spelled.

The hearing on the Telephone bill Monday was indeed a hearing. The story to be told upon that matter next week will be in one suggestive chapter.

Edgar J. Bliss.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Aldermen Bowen, Underwood and Webster were the only absentees from the regular meeting of the aldermen last Monday night.

Considerable interest had been manifested in the hearing upon the petition of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company to act as a common carrier, but Attorney James F. Bacon, representing that Company asked a postponement, as President Shaw was out of the state. The hearing was accordingly postponed until April 2nd.

At the hearing on petition of the same company to alter a crossover on Boylston street near Chestnut hill, Mr. Bacon said that the Company desired to move its present crossover in the reserved space a few feet nearer the Brookline line.

At the hearing on the petition of the same company to alter its tracks on Boylston street near the Charles river, Mr. Bacon said that this alteration was made necessary by the new bridge and

was in accordance with plans of the Park Commission, which had been approved by the city.

No one appeared at the hearings called upon petitions of the Gas Light Company for attachments on Winchester street and of the Telephone company for attachments on Chestnut terrace, Grant avenue, Centre st. Chestnut st., Walnut st. and for location on Windsor road.

FROM THE MAYOR.
The appointment of Dr. James R. McLaughlin as Inspector of Animals was confirmed with 17 favorable ballots. Communications relative to payment of \$5000 by the Park Commission regarding construction of culvert and dam at Boylston st and the Charles river were referred to the Public Works committee.

PETITIONS.
Petition of Arthur Muldoon to move a building to Chesley road was granted. Petitions of John F. Murphy and Harry M. Ellis for newsboys licenses; of D. F. Riordan for 2 pool tables, and of the Telephone company to remove poles on Walnut st were referred to the Franchise Committee.

Petitions of Elizabeth W. Keegan for damages on account of fall on Elm street, claim of Officer Wm. Groh for reward for capture of dog and of D. S. Farnham on account change of grade of Dedham st. were referred to the Claims Committee.

Petition of M. L. Pratt et al for sewer in Riverside road was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Hearings were ordered for March 10th on petitions of Gas Company for relocation on Beacon street, and of the Telephone company for location on Hillside road and attachments on Walnut and Brookline st.

A recess was taken for committee meetings from 8.11 to 9 P. M. when these committee reports were received.

From Committee on Public Franchises recommending granting attachments on Pettes st, Fuller st., on West st and location on Grafton st to the Telephone Company, attachments on Dedham st, Dudley st., Nahanton st., Winchester st and Commonwealth ave to the Gas Company, and favorable to granting alteration of tracks near Charles River, to the Boston & Worcester Co, orders for these matters being subsequently adopted.

On recommendation of the same committee newsboy licenses were granted to John F. Murphy, Harry M. Ellis, and G. Vincent Davis, a wagon license to Wm. Ryan, an intelligence office license to Margaret Broderick and licenses as weigher of coal and measurer of wood to Michael F. O'Brien and as weigher of coal and hay to Mary A. Collins.

On recommendation of the same committee, Sadler and Fowler were granted leave to withdraw on petition for a Common Victualer license. Reports were also received from the Public Works committee recommending the approval of plans for culvert and dam at Charles river and Boylston and to grant authority for street watering. Orders for these matters were then adopted.

An order accepting proposition of the Metropolitan Park Commission to pay \$5000 for construction of culvert at Boylston st and Charles river was referred to the Finance Committee.

And at 9.15 the board adjourned.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Brown of Walnut street have returned from Atlantic City, N. J.

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—Miss Helen Avery of Crafts street is spending a part of the month with friends in New York.

—Miss Nellie Dorney, after six weeks' serious illness, resumed her school duties last Monday.

—At the Universalist church next Sunday, Rev. Albert Hammett's subject will be, "The Mighty Atom."

—Herbert Thayer, a tenor of more than ordinary ability, will be the soloist at the M. E. church next Sunday.

—Miss Eleanor West entertained the Young Woman's Club at her home on Newtonville avenue last Tuesday evening.

—Mr. George W. Ross of Hull street is in Denver, Col., on a business trip and will visit the Pacific coast before his return.

—The vesper service Sunday at 4:30 at the Central Church will consist of selections from the Oratorio Elijah by Mendelssohn.

—Mr. Harry Hickox announces a private course in shorthand. Terms \$4 per month, two lessons weekly. Address The Marion, Newton.

—A social meeting of the Neotes Club was held Wednesday evening at the home of the president, Mr. George Burnap on Nevada street.

—An important extra meeting of the Woman's League was held Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. F. A. Waterhouse on Highland avenue.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Prescott G. Beals of Grove Hill avenue to Miss Anna C. Holland, daughter of Mrs. M. J. Holland of Dorchester.

—The recent death of Mrs. Janet Dodge at her home in North Chelmsford will be a shock to her friends here. Mrs. Dodge was a member of the New Church society.

—Rev. A. L. Squier will continue his series of evening sermons at the Methodist church Sunday on the general theme, "The Light of Yesterday on the Path of Today." His special subject will be, "The Under Dog on Top."

—The Central Club met Thursday evening in the parlors of Central church Representative Charles A. Andrews of Holyoke was the guest and spoke on the Massachusetts Legislature, its personnel and work, also on clean politics and good citizenship.

—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Sewing Circle was held Thursday afternoon in the parish house of the Universalist church. Reports were read and officers were elected. A supper followed and in the evening a pleasing entertainment was given.

—The Traveller's Club will meet on Monday afternoon, March 12, with Mrs. C. C. Clark, Crafts street. The papers for the afternoon will be on Iceland and the Danish Isles, by Mrs. A. D. Ayranssen; and on the People and Customs, by Mrs. C. W. Ayranssen. Reading by Mrs. Wilkins.

—The regular meeting of the Every Saturday Club was held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. J. G. Thompson on Otis street. The study of the Greek drama was continued, the play of "Orestes," by Euripides being the special topic and the speakers were Mr. F. E. Spaulding, Mrs. J. R. Prescott and Mr. J. G. Thompson.

—Mr. Richard Bowen Allen, a well known resident, died suddenly of heart failure Sunday at his home on Alhambra road. He was a native of Fall River and was 83 years of age. His wife died but a few months ago and one son survives him. Deceased was a retired business man and was related to the Brown family of Providence, through whose liberality Brown University was founded. Funeral services were held from one o'clock Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. R. T. Loring officiating, and the interment was in Newton Cemetery.

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—Mrs. Charles P. Davis of Washington street is ill with bronchitis.

—Rev. J. T. Stocking will preach a sermon especially to children next Sunday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Rand of Newtonville avenue have returned from a trip to New York.

—Mr. Ezra Dodge is improving from his recent illness and returned this week from the Newton Hospital.

—Hon. and Mrs. John A. Fenno and Miss Mildred A. Fenno of Walnut street are spending the week in New York.

—The regular meeting of the Lend-a-Hand was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Bassett on Central avenue.

—Rev. Mr. St. James will give an address in the interest of home missions at the Methodist church Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

—The Ladies' Aid Society will hold an all day sewing bee in the vestry of the Methodist church next Wednesday. Basket lunch will be served at noon.

—The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of Mrs. J. C. Atkinson on Crafts street.

—At the residence of Miss Eleanor S. West on Newtonville avenue Tuesday evening the Young Woman's Club of St. John's church entertained about 30 members and representatives from the other similar organizations in the various local churches.

—The Lenten address at St. John's church this afternoon will be by the rector, Rev. R. T. Loring. His subject will be, "Grafted into the Body of Christ's Church." Next Sunday afternoon Rev. Ernest N. Bullock of South Boston will be the preacher and on the following Wednesday evening Rev. Walter D. Roberts of East Boston.

—The Rev. Arthur St. James, the noted French Evangelist, who has just returned from the Holy lands, will speak at the Methodist church, next Thursday, on "Home Missions." Mr. St. James is well known through New England as a great reformer of the French and will give one of his most interesting talks. There is no admission, all seats being free.

—The funeral of Mr. Reuben Trowbridge, who died at the Soldier's Home in Chelsea, took place from the chapel in Newton Cemetery Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Richard T. Loring, rector of St. John's church, officiated, and the burial was in the Soldier's Lot. Mr. Trowbridge was a native of this place, where he was born 84 years ago, and he was the last survivor of his generation.

—The Universalist Men's Club last Monday night was addressed by the Rev. Edward M. Noyes. In a strong, virile address, he charmed his listeners, as in apt and graphic speech he pictured to them the vast area, wonderful wealth, contagious push and pluck buoyancy and resourcefulness of the great Northwest. He was accorded a most hearty vote of thanks. There was the usual accession of members.

—Miss Mabel D. Carter, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Olin F. Carter, and a former well known resident of this place was married to Mr. Edward G. Cook of Lowell at the home of her parents on Westland avenue, Boston, Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed by her uncle Rev. W. T. Perrin. The bride is well known in musical circles and the groom is associated with the brokerage firm of K. W. Wilson & Co. The wedding trip will be to points of interest in Canada.

—PROFESSOR JOHN DUXBURY of England, the renowned elocutionist, will return to this country in March for a limited number of engagements. Those who heard him recite the Book of Job and Dickens' Christmas Carol last year, will be glad of another opportunity to hear Mr. Duxbury, in a program of Selected Miscellaneous Readings, which he will give in the Central Congregational church, Walnut street, Newtonville, Monday evening, March 12, at 8 o'clock. Tickets at thirty five and fifty cents, may be obtained from Mr. Arthur Nagle, Kirkstall road, Newtonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Bowers street have moved to California street.

—Miss Alice Porter of Meriden, Conn., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. J. T. Stocking of Central avenue.

—Mr. Charles E. Bevan has had plans drawn for a new house on the land he recently purchased on Proctor street.

—The postponed concert of the Polyhymnia will be held in the hall of the Newton Club, Thursday evening, April 26th.

—The Sunday school connected with the Methodist church is to compile a photographic album with portraits of all classes.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's church held a meeting Wednesday with Mrs. R. T. Loring at the rectory on Trowbridge avenue.

—Mr. James H. Johnson of Brooks avenue, who has been unable to attend to business for several months on account of illness, has recovered and has reopened his harness store on Washington street.

—The Newton High School team is again out for the championship of the Preparatory Baseball League. Captain Hobart is popular with the members of the nine and he expects them to do even better than last year.

—Mr. John F. Dinsmore of Boston has purchased of Mr. Horace B. Parker his estate at the corner of Beaumont avenue and Prospect park. After extensive alterations and repairs Mr. Dinsmore will occupy the property. Mr. Parker and family will move to the Keene house, 31 Grove Hill avenue.

—At the annual meeting of the Northumbria District, Massachusetts Sunday School Association held in Central church, last week the following officers were chosen for the coming year: President, Mr. Olley of Waltham; vice president, Rev. Dr. George S. Butters of Newton; secretary, Mrs. W. H. Short of Newton; treasurer, W. W. Rugg of Watertown; home department, Mrs. H. C. Greene of Waltham; normal secretary, Miss E. E. Porter of Newton Centre.

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—Mr. C. R. Hannon of Temple street, is in the West on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. John E. Pushee of Prince street are back from a trip to New York.

—Mr. George H. Bond of Otis street has returned from a sojourn at Pinehurst, N. C.

—Mr. James McKissock is confined to his home on Sewall street with an attack of pleurisy.

—Mrs. F. G. Sears of Temple street is spending a few weeks with friends in New Haven, Conn.

—Mr. E. Hayward Ferry and family of Berkeley street have been spending the week in New York.

—Prof. S. H. Woodbridge has been elected a director of the New England Watch and Ward Society.

—Captain Benjamin S. Hatch of Watertown street returned Monday from a several week's pleasure trip to Jamaica.

—Congressman Weeks was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Woods of Balcarres road during his recent brief visit to Newton.

—Messrs. Harry L. Burrage and E. Hayward Ferry have been elected members of the board of directors of the Automobile Owner's Association.

—Lieutenant V. A. Kimberly has been detached from the Columbia and has been assigned to the bureau of ordinance, Navy Department, Washington.

—Mr. Matthew Mackey of Elm street who was taken suddenly ill in Boston last Saturday and was removed to the Relief Hospital is recovering satisfactorily.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet Monday evening at 8 with the Misses Jackson, 445 Crafts street. The car leaves Newtonville Square at 7:48.

—Judge John C. Kennedy and Chief of Police Fred M. Mitchell were among the guests present at the dinner of the Massachusetts Civil Service Reform Association held Friday evening at Young's Hotel, Boston.

—Mrs. Edward A. Adams has issued cards for the marriage of her daughter Miss Ruth Adams and Mr. Lennox Hubbard Lindsay to take place at the Unitarian church, Thursday evening, March 22, at 8 o'clock.

—The annual Missionary Sociable was held Thursday evening at the Baptist church. Supper was served at 6:45 and later Mr. Vinton, who recently returned from India, gave an illustrated lecture descriptive of that country.

—The West Newton Women's Alliance will meet next Thursday morning in the parlors of the Unitarian church. The study of the New Testament will be continued and Mrs. Joseph Hagar will speak on "Paul's Last Journey."

—At Police Headquarters Dr. Joseph Stanton has been giving a series of interesting lectures on first aid to the injured. Among the subjects considered have been drowning, sunstroke, poisoning, broken limbs, bleeding from arteries and fits.

—Rev. Edwin F. Snell, pastor of the Lincoln Park Baptist church is giving a series of Lenten sermons on Sunday evenings, the general topic being, "Teachings of the Lord's Prayer." The subject next Sunday evening will be, "Our Father who art in Heaven."

—The Old Folks' Concert at the Baptist church is to be given next Wednesday night. Very careful preparations have been made for this concert and the public has shown such interest that it has been found necessary to plan for a public dress rehearsal the preceding evening.

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—Mrs. Maria L. Whittlesey, wife of Corydon M. Whittlesey, passed away at her home on Cherry street last Thursday after a short illness. She was a native of Saybrook, Conn., and was 79 years of age. Her husband and two sons, Walter Whittlesey of Chelsea and Henry L. Whittlesey of this place, survive her. Funeral services were held from the family residence Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. T. P. Prudden and Rev. Dr. Henry J. Patrick officiating and a number of relatives and friends were present. The floral tributes were numerous and of beautiful design. The interment was in Woodlawn Cemetery.

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GROW—At Newton Hospital, March 8, Wallace T. Grow. Funeral at Channing church on Saturday, March 10th at 2 P. M.

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A certain parcel of land with the building thereon situated on the Eastern side of Elm Street in that part of Newton called West Newton and being bounded and described as follows, viz:—Southwesterly by said Elm street ninety (90) feet. South easterly by land now or formerly of Capen one hundred and fifty (150) feet. North easterly by land now or formerly of Langley and in part by land now or formerly of Perkins ninety (90) feet and Northwest easterly by land now or formerly of Mead one hundred and fifty (150) feet. Containing 13500 square feet of land more or less.
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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James H. Nickerson to the Newton Savings Bank, dated December 10th, 1900, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 284, Page 140, for breach of the condition therein contained and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises now covered by said mortgage on Monday, the second day of April, 1906, at four o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, excepting such portions thereof as were released by partial releases filed and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds respectively as follows, viz:—
Partial Release dated June 16, 1903, duly recorded in Book 343, Page 442; Partial Release dated September 22, 1903, duly recorded in Book 362, Page 56; and Partial Release dated December 8, 1903, duly recorded in Book 376, Page 518.

The premises now covered by said mortgage and to be sold as aforesaid being:—
All the following lots of land situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, called Auburndale, shown as the Lots One, Three, Eighteen and Nineteen on a plan of Land in Auburndale, Newton, drawn by William H. Jackson, dated September 25th, 1875, and duly recorded. Lots One, Three, Eighteen and Nineteen are together bounded:—Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Evergreen Avenue by Lot Two on said plan, and running Northwesterly by said Evergreen Avenue by said Lot Two, Eighty (80) feet; thence running Southwesterly by Lots Seventeen and Four on said plan, Two hundred and sixty (260) feet to Evergreen Avenue; thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Evergreen Avenue Eighty (80) feet to said Lot Two on said plan; thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Lot Two One hundred and thirty (130) feet; thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Lot Two Eighty (80) feet; thence turning and running Southwesterly by said Lot Two, One hundred and thirty (130) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 52,469 square feet.

Reference for title may be had to a deed under power of sale to said Nickerson, dated November 23, 1900, and duly recorded, with said mortgage. Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments.

\$500 at time and place of sale.
NEWTON SAVINGS BANK.
Mortgagee.
By Adolphus J. Blanchard, Treasurer
Boston, March 9, 1906.
Frank A. Mason, Atty.,
31 Milk Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF NEWTON Board of Health.

Proposals for Collection of Ashes.

Sealed Proposals for the collection and disposal of ashes and paper in the City of Newton for a period of three years beginning May 1, 1906 will be received at the office of the Board of Health, City Hall, West Newton, until 2 P. M. on Monday, March 19, 1906. Specifications may be secured on application at the above named office. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Health of Newton.

HARRY A. STONE,
Secretary.

CITY OF NEWTON Board of Health.

Amendment to Rule.

In the Board of Health, March 5, 1906. ORDERED that Rule 35 be amended to read as follows:—
No person who has been sick with any of the diseases mentioned in Rule 34 or with consumption, mumps or German measles shall be permitted to attend school in the city without a written permit from the Board of Health.

By order of the Board of Health.

HARRY A. STONE,
Secretary.

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PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, SS.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John Armstrong late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Julia Armstrong who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of March, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing post paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.



Proposal for Street Watering.

Sealed proposals for watering the streets of Newton will be received at the office of the Street Commissioner, City Hall, West Newton, up to nine o'clock A. M., on March 13th, 1906. Bids to be addressed to the Street Commissioner, and plainly marked "Proposal for Street Watering." Each proposal to be on a blank form furnished by the city, and to be based on a price per section per month, including Sundays and holidays, and to designate the section or sections on which it is made.

A schedule of the routes can be seen and form of contract and specifications obtained at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

CHARLES W. ROSS,
Street Commissioner.

CITY OF NEWTON.



STREET DEPARTMENT, Highway Division.

Proposals for Concrete Work.

Sealed proposals for laying out concrete sidewalks, crosswalks, gutters and for repairs on old work in the streets and on the public works during the year 1906, will be received at the office of the Street Commissioner, City Hall, West Newton, Mass., until ten A. M., March 13th, 1906, at which time and place all bids will be opened and read.

Proposals to be upon blank forms and according to the specifications to be obtained at the office of the Street Commissioner. Said proposal to be directed to the Street Commissioner, endorsed, "Proposal for Concrete Work for 1906," and to be accompanied by a certified check upon a National Bank of Newton or Boston for \$500.

The right to reject each, any or all bids is reserved.

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WOMAN'S WORLD

The members of the Newton Federation are reminded of the Silver Tea which is to be held on Saturday afternoon, March 10, from three to five at the home of Mrs. Warren F. Gregory, Walnut street, Newtonville, for the benefit of the Newton table at the Federation Bazaar.

All donations for the Newton table of the Federation Bazaar should be sent to the headquarters for receiving articles not later than Saturday of this week in order that they may be forwarded to Horticultural Hall, Boston, on Monday.

The Federation Bazaar.

The grand opening of the Federation Bazaar for the benefit of the educational and philanthropic work of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs, will present a brilliant spectacle at Horticultural Hall, Boston, on Wednesday evening, March 14. The scheme of decoration is in artistic hands. Mr. Ernest A. Marchado, the well-known architect of Boston, having made special designs which will transform the main hall into a beautiful Italian garden. Booths for the sale of goods will be ranged on either side and each table decorated with a special flower will be assigned to its proper place in the color scheme; many of the attendants will be in costumes calculated to enhance the general effect.

A number of distinguished guests will be present at the opening and an informal reception will be held by the Federation officers. The Salem Cadet Band will be in attendance and some special attractive features will be introduced; among them, a Greek Rhythmic Dance on the floor of the main hall by young ladies under the direction of Mrs. Lucia Gale Barber. Every succeeding afternoon and evening some good entertainment will be presented in the lecture hall, to which special admission will be charged. One of the smaller halls will be fitted up as an art gallery for the Loan Collection of Paintings by Women Artists. Mr. Adelaide Cole Chase, Miss Laura A. Hills and Miss Mary B. Hazleton are the Committee in charge, and their high standing as artists assures the success of the Exhibit.

Word comes from every side that work for the Federation Bazaar goes merrily on. The Women's Clubs all over the State are giving their enthusiastic support to the plan.

The Bazaar will open Wednesday evening at 8 P. M., and will be open on the three days following from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M.

The entertainment provided for Thursday afternoon by the Women's Auxiliary of the Civil Service Reform Association will include Monologues by Joseph Lyndon Smith and a fine musical program. The Chromatic Club of Boston will give the "Daisy Cham" as one feature of their musicale on Thursday evening. The Women's Educational and Industrial Union has the direction of the entertainment on Friday evening which will include two short plays and vaudeville attractions.

A Handicraft Table will be an interesting feature under the chairmanship of Mrs. Herman B. Murphy, President of the Arts and Crafts Club of Winchester. She will be assisted by Mrs. Allen Chamberlain, members of the Arts and Crafts Committee of the State Federation and New Hampshire's Daughters. A large and representative exhibit of the work of arts and crafts societies and of individual craftsmen is expected.

A Millinery Table will tempt all who are looking for Spring hats and many of the leading milliners of Boston have generously given some of their beautiful models. The Afternoon Club of Dedham is working especially for the Millinery Table. Other business houses of Boston are showing their appreciation of the Bazaar and its purposes by very generous contributions.

That Horticultural Hall will present a scene of dazzling beauty is an assured fact. By order of Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, all the palms and greens necessary for decoration of the entire building will be loaned from the city greenhouses. The floral decorations will be provided by the Demison company of Boston, and will be the most elaborate design ever carried out by this establishment which has achieved so many triumphs already.

The Monday Club of Newton Highlands spent the afternoon of March 5 in Venice. A paper was read on "Venice of Long Ago and Venice of Today," another entitled "A Day in a Gondola," and a special topic was given on "The Doges, their Power and their Achievement." The meeting next week will be with Mrs. Peckham of Rockledge road.

The Federation Bulletin for March gives the following in regard to the coming Bazaar at St. Paul.

The Amory Building has been selected for the convention hall. It is a large, new building, picturesque on the outside and very conveniently arranged within. The hall will seat 2,000, the acoustic properties are excellent, there is every convenience in the way of telephone service, etc., and the location is central. We feel sure that members and friends alike will consider the choice of hall a fortunate one.

The State Headquarters will be located in the old Capitol, which has just been vacated by the transfer of the State offices to the new Capitol. This we consider a peculiarly happy arrangement. The Capitol is near the Armory, near the leading hotels, on the main street of the city, and the interior arrangements are ideal for the purpose. There are large and small rooms, with facilities for telegraphing, telephoning, resting, resting, etc. We feel that the ample space and the convenient facilities which this building affords will greatly simplify the work of the Convention and reduce the friction of different activities to the minimum.

The Ryan Hotel has been selected for Hotel Headquarters. This is a first-class hotel in every respect, and conveniently located, not only as regards the convention hall and State Headquarters, but as regards trains, bus section, and shopping headquarters. The Chairman of the Hotel Committee

submits a schedule of special rates in another column. It may not be amiss to state that during the Biennial special measures of care will be taken for fire protection.

Social functions will not be neglected. The opportunities which they afford for helpful and interesting personal acquaintance are among the most valued opportunities of a Federation Convention. The discussion of abstract questions is of high importance to a representative body of women, but the "human touch" is hardly secondary. Besides the incidental opportunities which every Convention affords, there will be certain formal occasions, details of which will be duly announced.

St. Paul, St. Paul is a beautiful city. We who belong to its family may admit that it has faults, but lack of beauty is not one of them. The environs are picturesque and easily accessible. While we have not been able to bind the weather man by a definite contract, we may say that the first week of June usually brings us the kind of weather that Lowell found "rare." If we should have the "rare" exception of bad weather, we have many indoor resources in reserve; but we hope for outdoor doings.

Y. M. C. A.

The Annual Athletic meet of the Associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held in Newton again this year on Thursday evening, March 15th, at 7.30.

Last year, Newton won the meet with 26 points, Boston with second with 12 points, Malden was third with 11 points. The point winners for Newton were Bradley, Morton, Moore, Frazer, Wharton, Fielding and Bailey.

Seventy-five men entered last year, too are expected this year. Worcester, Boston, Cambridge and Newton will enter Relay teams.

The cups are now on exhibition at A. H. Waitt's store.

Mr. Cogswell, one of the Harvard chess players, played simultaneous chess matches with 4 members of the Newton chess club losing two and winning two. Robert Gilfether and Robert Ringrose were the winners.

Next Tuesday evening there will be fireside songs and stories in the parlor. Members and their gentlemen friends are invited.

The older boys' conference for the two states of Massachusetts and Rhode Island is to be held next week in Springfield. The sessions run during the three days of March 16, 17, and 18th, and cover in their scope matters that are of the greatest interest and helpfulness to every fellow, who has at heart, a true interest for the building up of the local department. At this conference are met the pick of the 6,000 boys now enrolled in the membership of the two states. To be appointed as a delegate is the greatest honor that can be conferred on a member. Of the 400 boys who will be present most of them are from either the high or preparatory schools. Such speakers as Rev. Allen A. Stockdale, Dr. B. D. Hahn, Mr. E. M. Robinson, international secretary, Mr. F. A. Crosby, of Penn., Mr. W. H. Burger, of New York, and Mr. Chas. R. Scott have been secured for the program, and if such a thing is possible, it is expected that this will even surpass that held at Brockton last year.

Ex-Mayor Cobb was the speaker at the Young Men's Meeting last Sunday. It was one of the finest services that we have had during the season, for his description of the "Bounty of God" and his application of the text to the every day life was very impressive. At the regular time on the coming Sunday Rev. Geo. Butters, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of this city, will read one of his original stories. This makes the second time that Mr. Butters will have been with us and it was at the earnest solicitation of the boys themselves that he has been secured for this date. We believe that in these services the best is none too good. Every boy in the city over twelve years of age is invited to come to the four remaining services. Don't come alone, bring a friend.

Sarah Hull Chapter.

The annual meeting of Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R., was held at the residence of Mrs. John H. Sanborn, 70 Chase street, Newton Centre, on Saturday, March 3, at 10 A. M., with a large number in attendance. The annual reports of the officers were listened to with interest and important business transacted. The following list of officers were elected for the ensuing year: Regent, Mrs. Albert F. Hayward; vice-regent, Mrs. William T. Logan; Mrs. Edward R. Cates, Mrs. Albert S. Hutchinson; recording secretary, Mrs. Franklin E. Smith; corresponding secretary, Miss Clara J. Colburn; assn. cor. secretary, Miss Helen L. Wells; treasurer, Mrs. John H. Sanborn; historian, Mrs. Albert DeW. Sampson; executive committee, Mrs. Francis E. Stanley, Mrs. Henry R. Viets, Mrs. Edgar W. Warren, Mrs. William H. Bliss; auditor, Mrs. Daniel S. Emery.

Clark-Upham.

A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. William P. Upham on Highland avenue last Tuesday evening when her daughter, Miss Mary Wendell Upham was united in marriage to Mr. Austin Hobart Clark of Brookline. The ceremony was performed in a recess, banked with potted palms and ferns and over head was hung a chandelier made of jonquills and other flowers. Rev. Edwin C. Boies of Tufts College was the officiating clergyman and only the relatives and a few intimate friends were present. A pretty feast was the aide of ribbons which was made for the bride and groom by eight young ladies. Miss Elizabeth Holmes Upham, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and Mr. Gloyer Allen was the best man. A reception following which was attended by many friends and neighbors. The bride and groom were assisted in receiving by Mrs. W. P. Upham and Mrs. Clark, mother of the groom. The ushers were Messrs. Bernhard Klaus and Austin C. Benton. Later Mr. and Mrs. Clark left for a two weeks wedding trip. The wedding had been planned for June but it was decided to have it at this time as Mr. Clark leaves soon for a six months trip to Japan where he goes in an official capacity for the United States government with the fish commission.

CONGRESSIONAL DINNER AT THE NEWTON CLUB

While a cold, disagreeable rain tapped drearily on the window panes, the jolly crowd of about two hundred members and guests gathered within the Newton Club house last Saturday night, were oblivious to all outside matters, so busily engaged were they in observing the annual Congressional dinner, which has become such an enjoyable feature of this organization.

Congressmen Augustus O. Stanley of Kentucky and Herschell M. Hogg of Colorado were the guests of the club, our own Congressman Captain John W. Weeks, and an ex-president of the club, being compelled to preside on account of the unexpected and much regretted illness of President and ex-Congressman Powers.

The guests began to gather before six o'clock and were received informally by the three congressmen in the club library. In due time the march was begun to the Assembly hall where covers had been laid for over 180.

The tables were prettily decorated with huge bouquets of pinks and an orchestra on the stage, soon induced the crowd to join in singing the various popular songs. A throng of waiters flitted to and fro in their efforts to serve the excellent dinner, the music and cheers making the time pass most expeditiously.

Congressman Weeks, on rising to call the company to order, was greeted with three enthusiastic cheers. He spoke as follows:

It has been suggested, and the suggestion seems to me a good one, that we telephone to the president of this club our regret at his absence, our desire that he may have speedy recovery and our everlasting affection. (Applause.) If that is your wish you will manifest it by saying "Aye." (Aye.) I will ask Mr. Follett to send that message.

If the president of the Newton Club were here he would extend to the club itself his congratulations on this large attendance, as I do. He would extend to our guests, not only from abroad but in the state, our hearty welcome, as I do. He would quite likely extend to the representative from the 12th Massachusetts district also the welcome of the club, as I do. (Laughter and applause.) (He would do more than that. He would go on to tell, quite likely, how much better the 12th district was represented when he was in Congress than it is now. (Laughter.) But I want to say to you that while I will subscribe to that sentiment, that the 12th district has probably never been represented just as it is now. (Laughter.) When my predecessor was young in Congress he used to tell the people of this district that it was impossible for a new man to accomplish anything, which was true. Later on, when he was about to retire to fill his coffers, you will recall that he went about talking at church festivals and other places about the things which his constituents if he had a mind to do it, knowing perfectly well that he could not do it, the result being that I received calls for these things, and not being able to respond they proceeded to retain the previous Congressman from this district, who is spending most of his time at Washington obtaining favors for the people of this district. I want to say to you that while I am drawing the salary he is making the money. (Renewed laughter.)

You perhaps notice that I said that this district had never been represented just as it is now. It is always well to notice the accent on words. It recalls to my mind the family who lived in Henderson, Kentucky, who were about to take up their residence in Colorado. A little girl in the family, at her evening prayers the day before she went, said in closing, "Good-by, God, we are going to Colorado." (Laughter.) Her little brother, who overheard her and who had heard his father say that all the whiskey in Henderson had been drunk up and that he liked to travel, concluded that he liked to travel too, and said the same thing in this way: "Good-by, God, we are going to Colorado." (Laughter.)

Nobody regrets more than I that the president of the club is not here tonight. I am well aware that he had prepared himself carefully to not only roast the present representative, but the friends whom I have brought here tonight to speak to you. They will miss it, I miss it and you will miss it. Unfortunately he did not send along his manuscript, so I cannot use it.

I am not going into any lengthy talk on the duties or the experiences of a Congressman. A Congressman is a kid in a person who sometimes wonders why people do not tie horses to him, and at other times wonders if he is the first statesman in the land. He has varying emotions, but I had a distinct shock the first day of the session, while the leader of the democracy, Mr. Williams, was inveighing against the rules of the House and suggesting amongst other things that the kids of the House ought to have opportunity to consider them before they were adopted for the present Congress. A young man from Chicago, about thirty years old, who looked as if he might be about twenty, jumped up and said he would like to know what Mr. Williams meant by the "kids" in Congress, and Mr. Williams replied that the impression which his interrogator conveyed to his mind was a complete answer to his inquiry. (Laughter.) Although there are some eighty-one or eighty-two "kids" in the House, we are entirely out of practice in making speeches, although one of us has since dared to raise his voice.

But there are some things which I believe will interest you regarding the brief experience which I have had there and the observations I have made. I want to base what I say on the tendency today to criticize what has happened in the way of "taking of the kid" from insurance companies and other companies and the great liberty which people are taking in criticizing all property interests, the great excess which they are indulging in without any regard, very often to the fact or to investigation. You cannot pick up a magazine that does not read numberless articles about the tendency of the times or the profligacy of the times, much of which is true, but they assume, because there are certain things which are not good, that everything is bad. I read the other day in a paper which is printed not far from here an article which may have been an

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editorial—I don't know—it looked as if it might be—invigilating against the U. S. Senate and the House of Representatives. It is not my duty or function to defend the United States Senate. Two of its members have recently been convicted of crime and there may be men there who have not the highest moral purpose in life. But in my mind it would have been just as fair and reasonable and would be today to invigilate against the twelve disciples because some of them were recreant to his trust as to invigilate against the whole United States Senate because three of four of its members are guilty of offences. (Applause.)

We constantly hear cries against the impotency of the House of Representatives. I want to say that while I have not been an idle man in my business career I never have spent more years in recent years doing some kind of work or some kind of duty than I have since I have been in Washington. Much of it has not been of great importance; I am bound to admit that most of it has not produced any important result. But when you assume that the representatives in Congress are accomplishing nothing, ninety-nine times out of a hundred you are making a false assumption, and the ignorant person who does this is doing a distinct wrong because he is holding legitimate government up to criticism which it does not deserve. (Applause.)

There is a distinct tendency in Washington, which is the result and reflection of public sentiment, to enact laws which are more drastic and more centralizing than anything we have hitherto had in this country. You quite likely know the law which has been passed at the last session establishing the fraud order. In most respects that is legitimate and wise and just. There are any quantity of schemes which are using the United States mail for fraudulent purposes. But you can plainly see that that puts a power in the hands of bureaus in Washington which was never contemplated in my judgment, by those who framed the Constitution. I have seen within a few days the Pure Food bill passed, a bill which in many respects is wise and good legislation; but at the same time it puts in the hands of the United States government powers which the Congress of the United States has been contemplating for years and never before has seen fit to enact at all. That bill passed the Senate the other day with only a dissent of one man, and they have been sixteen years up to this time trying to get it out of committee.

You can see how this sentiment which is abroad in the land is reflected in Washington in legislation. There is another bill which has recently passed the House of Representatives which in a way reflects the same tendency, and that is the Hepburn rate bill. I want to say to you that ordinarily, when a small number of men like seven or eight of them are affected by some sentiment which possibly is not of the highest. But in this particular case seven men did not represent the dissent from the Hepburn rate bill. It was reflected by dozens and almost hundreds of men in the House of Representatives who voted for it—who voted for that bill because they believed in the first place that it was the wish of the administration; in the second place, that it was the wish of their constituents; and in the third place, that something had got to be done of that character to satisfy the public sentiment of this country. Now that third reason, in my judgment, is fairly good. There is a sentiment abroad that possibly there may be some necessity for that kind of legislation. But that bill, to my mind, is so bad, is so full of possibilities for ill in the future, that from my own standpoint, from the standpoint of a New England representative, I do not think it should have passed or that it should have received the votes of New England representatives. (Applause.) And I say that without intending to criticize any man who voted for the bill, because in almost every case, as I have stated, there were reasons which seemed to him amply sufficient to warrant his casting his vote as he did.

It is not only legislation which may affect adversely New England interests, but it may affect adversely the interests of the whole country. I want to point out two or three features of that bill which I think will appeal to your minds as dangerous legislation. I do not believe that there could be any more assuring policy for this country to adopt than that of government ownership. Our political conditions are such that I do not believe that the government can do business as well as the corporation or the individual, as economically or as wisely. And when we adopt the policy of government ownership we are going to take a step which in my opinion,

will be fraught with all kinds of ills and distempers. There are those who believe that this step will put an end to the tendency toward government ownership, while I distinctly believe that it will be the first step toward government ownership, and if it is, that is sufficient reason in my mind for the defeat of that kind of legislation.

There is another reason. We are putting in the hands of seven men in Washington, the new Interstate Commerce Commission, almost greater powers than the Congress itself has ever exercised. Those men will have practically absolute control over the welfare of one-eighth of the invested wealth of this country. They are subject to removal by the President for cause. Four of them are to be of one party and three of another. If we have a radical wave sweep over the country and we see some day an extremely radical man in the White House, and he sees fit to appoint of his own party four extremely radical men as interstate commerce commissioners and there is a popular demand that something be done to right the so-called wrongs of the people, to better the business conditions of the country, you can see that no political commission in the world would stand up and do what that popular demand did not require of them to do, which might bring disaster to the railroads of this country; and when you bring disaster to the railroads of this country you are injuring the whole business of the country as a result of those decisions, which will affect the veins and the arteries in the human system, for the railroads are the veins and the arteries of our commercial life.

There is another reason. We have built up in this country a tremendous system of differentials. If the interstate commerce commission are to make rates they cannot adopt any system of differentials; they have got to make a fair and square rate between all points. If they do make an equal rate to all points in this country for the same class of freight, I will say to you, in my judgment it will close half the mills in New England, the port of Boston will be practically unused, and not only that, but it would affect in the same way the state of California. We should not be a slave to have on our table any of those delicious speeches which come from Judge Hogg's state; I doubt if a bushel of grain could be brought from Iowa to the port of Boston. In every sense business would be so centralized and so localized that this great system of transportation which has been built up here, which has been so beneficial to the whole country, which has been reasonably fair in every respect, would be entirely changed. And that is the reason from a New England standpoint why I believe that such legislation should not be enacted. (Applause.)

We are fortunate tonight in having with us his Honor the Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth, and I want to ask him to extend to our guests from other states the greetings of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. (Applause, three cheers and a "tiger!")

HON. EDEN S. DRAPER.

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Newton Club: This is the first time that I have had the pleasure and honor of being a guest at one of these famous meetings and I assure you that I appreciate it very much indeed. I have learned tonight that in Newton it is understood that there are two offices that are one and the same thing,—that is, the member of Congress from the 12th district and the president of the Newton Club. (Applause.) I sympathize fully with the expression of the president of the evening in the absence of our dear friend and ex-congressman, Mr. Powers. (Applause) and I sincerely hope that his illness will be slight and of short duration. But I am sure that if he had an opportunity of choosing which one of these distinguished offices he would desire to fill he would say that he was entirely satisfied to be President of the Newton Club and let Mr. Weeks be the Congressman. (Applause.) I come from the far end of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. (Applause.) I have had the great pleasure and honor of assisting in the election of both these gentlemen. And I assure you that even in the far end of the district we think we are admirably represented and we desire to have that representation continue for an unlimited time. (Applause.)

I have not been lieutenant governor any longer than your congressman has been in Washington, but I have found out in that time that there is one very pleasant duty which occasionally devolves upon me, and that is when I have the privilege of welcoming within our borders distinguished gentlemen from other sections of this country. And I assure you that it gives me great pleasure tonight to be here and to extend to these gentlemen the greetings of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. (Applause.) When they are the guests of the Newton Club they need no hospitality from the state, but at the same time

I am delighted in my official capacity to be here and to tell them that we welcome them within our borders and hope distinctly that their stay with us may be pleasant and long—that they will abide with us as long as their duties in Washington will permit. (Applause.) Speaking as an individual, I have taken great personal pleasure in welcoming the distinguished gentleman from Kentucky. When I tell you that my wife came from Kentucky you will understand how much feeling I have in that respect. (Applause.) In the midst of which Congressman Stanley rose and shook hands with the Lieutenant Governor with a profound bow. I can say, had I been honored by being seated on the other side of the presiding officer and next to the distinguished gentleman from Colorado that I have no doubt that I should have thought before now that my wife was a Colorado woman. (Laughter.)

Gentlemen, I thank you heartily for your cordial greeting. I will not occupy your time; this is a congressional dinner, not a state dinner. But I assure you that I appreciate very much the opportunity of saying a word and I thank you for your kind reception. (Great applause.)

Congressman Weeks: I am sure that you all agree with me that while we elect a lieutenant governor last fall as a distinguished business man, he has in this short time developed into an extremely good after-dinner speaker. (Applause.)

When the Newton Club sends out a notice that it is to have certain guests it is intended that that notice shall be absolutely within the facts. Among those who intended to come here tonight to address you was Col. Robert A. Newton of the colored race. Unfortunately Col. Nevins, who was a very dear friend of the president of this club and intended to come largely as a compliment to him, is in infirm health and it is absolutely impossible for him to be present tonight. But even so I am quite sure that before the evening is over you will say that had he come it might have given you a surfeit of good things to eat, and to prove that I will introduce to you Augustus O. Stanley of Kentucky.

Mr. Stanley was greeted with hearty applause and the singing of "Dixie" by the members and guests, followed by the usual three cheers and "tiger!" He spoke in part as follows:

HON. AUGUSTUS O. STANLEY.

My friends, I am sorry to say that I cannot address you tonight—because I am too full for utterance. (Laughter.) But that I am filled with an inexpressible and an uncontrollable sadness, grief—poignant pain—that on the morrow I must leave you. (Laughter.) But I go, like Calaine, to return again. (Applause.)

You have no conception of the embarrassment that I suffer. My wife said to me when I left to come up here, "Now look here, Algie," that is a horrible name, but my father bore it before me, I inherited it with other weaknesses—"remember, you are going North and not South. And you will get half full of champagne and make one of your fool stump speeches up there, and the people come from Boston and they will send you home on a shutter." (Laughter.) So I was still more troubled about what I should say, coming from that wild state of Kentucky, where the winds are the blindest and the women are the sweetest ("Hear! hear!" from Lieut.-Gov. Draper) and the summers are the brightest and the politics are the damndest. (Great laughter.)

But since I have heard you sing "My Old Kentucky Home," since I have heard you respond to that sweet anthem that stirs all the Southland second only to "Hail Columbia," since I have heard "Dixie," since I have heard and know your warm reception, I realize what so often has been told me, that nothing survives in all the land between the stormy waters that beat upon your eastern coast and the placid stretch of the Mississippi, nothing survives that sad struggle but its glory and its heroism. (Applause.) And it matters not of what I talk or what I say, for we are all good fellows here tonight, and with good fellows, my friends, it matters not what tongue they speak, it matters not whether they meet beneath the sunny skies of Italy or upon the bleak coast of New England the time and clime are all forgotten; God makes good fellows brothers from the first one that ever hailed his mate until the last one that shall answer to Gabriel's trumpet. (Applause.)

I knew and appreciated your representative before I came, a dignified, a slight more than I do now. (Laughter.) For any man who would calmly and feloniously exchange the presidency of this club for a seat in Congress has got wheels in his head. (Laughter and applause.)

I was also advised by that frau of mine that I was going to talk to educated people (laughter) and to be careful not to get my verbs and adjectives mixed up, for I am within the shadow of Harvard, and it made me shiver.

I come from Kentucky to the great state of Massachusetts, and it is great. You do not overestimate its greatness. It is greater in the future than in the past. For a while, a painful while, you have been divorced from the Southland by differences now forgotten. But your grander and tenderer memories, the stories of your heroism, shall ring, as was said in the eloquence of Milton, like a sevenfold chorus of hallicorns and harping symphonies down all the choirs of time. That monument yonder to the top of which I climbed with a thrill I have not felt—for who can climb Bunker Hill Monument and be a soldier's son without realizing that when he reaches its top he is nearer the stars where the eternal God is? As long as you stay in the illiberal there is no higher and nobler mountain peak are such beside it. (Applause.) In all those proud and tender memories, in those anthems of victory and heroism, you are a part of all the union. Your glory is indissolubly bound—yes, more, it is a part of the heritage, the pride, it is the property in a sense—it is woven into the woof and warp of all our country's history. Those territories that you make today your country and mine, all of that will come here sooner or later in the dim future as to the Mecca of our hopes, as to the source of our inspiration. A thousand years from now, I pray God, children yet unborn beyond the Rockies, on the coast of the Atlantic and the Gulf alike, shall turn their faces toward Boston and with uncovered heads and with reverent hearts they shall say, as they read the story of Paul Revere and of Warren, "God bless you, for ye are a part of every star and every stripe in the nation's flag; ye are the guardian

angel above the cradle of my country's liberties." And Massachusetts shall be remembered in memory and in glory to every state in the Union. (Applause.)

You know you are the wisest people in the world, but one thing you do not know a thing about, and that is the Southern nigger. Not a bit more than you do about the Indian by reading "Hiawatha." The darkey is the most imitative character on earth and one of the most lovable. If I felt unkindly to him, with my Kentucky candor I would not say a good word about him. But I was raised by a black mammy, and my baby was raised by a black mammy. I was nurtured into a black mammy, doomed to death, by tender, loving black hands, and my baby, when doctors despaired, when tear-dimmed eyes had doomed the child to the grave, was lifted from death by the sleepless, tireless, tender love of a black mammy.

You differ with me, perhaps, in your ideas of the mental caliber of the darkey, his status in society. There is no one here tonight within sound of my voice that loves him half as well as I do, because you do not know him half as well. But this is merely as introductory. The darkey, while he is faithful and lovable and gentle, is the most superstitious creature in earth, as well as the most imitative. You can take a darkey and send him to Harvard and graduate him, and he will become an eloquent preacher, and you can send him into the Congo Free State and leave him surrounded entirely by his kind, and in 18 months he will be as naked as a jaybird.

Mr. Stanley here told a story illustrative of the superstitious nature of the negro of the South after which he continued:

Our Anglo-Saxon forbears followed a leader who corresponded in many respects to our present military organization to a captain. And when in the wilds of Schleswig or Friesland in that transatlantic country, the land of the Nervi of whom Caesar talks, a leader was slain, every man who had followed him into battle perished at his side. And yet that leader, that captain with whom they fought in battle, while he had the right to take from them all their earthly possessions at will could not lay the weight of his hand upon the poorest follower. Their bodies were sacred. There is the incipency. From it grew the code duello, the exquisite sensitiveness to an insult, to a stain upon the sense of honor. Now in Virginia 80 per cent of the people are of that race. In Kentucky, which is practically Virginia, 90 per cent of the people are today of the pure Saxon race.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of George Moulton late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and advertising the same, and all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
LOUISE LORD ADAMS, Executor.
Address, 53 Hancock Street, Auburn, Mass.
February 13, 1906.

CITY OF NEWTON.



The Sealer of Weights and Measures will be at City Hall, Room 11, daily, from April 1st to May 1st, 1906, for the purpose of receiving, adjusting and sealing, according to law, all scales, weights and measures. After May 1st of the day will be Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week. The sealer will, according to Section 22, Chapter 12 of the Revised Laws, go to the houses, stores and shops of persons using scales, weights and measures which they have failed to bring to the City Hall, and test and seal the same, for which a fee will be charged according to law. Licensed milkmen and all others who sell milk or cream in the City of Newton, are hereby required to bring all cans and bottles in which milk or cream is sold, to the office of the undersigned, to be tested and sealed according to law. See Section 43, Chapter 12, Revised Laws.
JOSHUA A. HARDING,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Alice D. McArthur, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and advertising the same, and all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
MARY J. SCHOFIELD, Executor.
Address Newtonville, Mass.
February 28, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Amira L. Warren late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and advertising the same, and all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
ERD C. ROWDITCH, Executor.
Address 28 State Street, Boston, Mass.
Boston, Feb. 28, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Gustavus A. Bruce, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and advertising the same, and all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
ALMIRA M. WHITE-MORRIS, Executor.
Address 36 Washington St., Newton, Mass.
Feb. 28, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Caroline J. Bullock, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and advertising the same, and all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
GEORGE S. BULLENS, Administrator.
Address, 75 Waverley Avenue, Newton, Mass.
February 18, 1906.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George H. Pratt to the Newton Savings Bank dated October 1st, 1894, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, in Book 2309, Page 197, for breach of the condition therein contained and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on Monday, the nineteenth day of March, 1906, at four o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—All that lot of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, called Auburndale, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—commencing at a point in the Southeastly line of Camden Road so called, a private way forty feet wide, leading from Wolcott Street to Auburndale Avenue, by Lot No. Five on a plan entitled "Land of George H. Pratt, Auburndale, Mass." Oct. 22nd, 1893, A. S. N. Estes, Surv., which plan is, or is to be recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, and from thence running Southeastly by said Lot No. Five on said plan, eighty-three and 75-100 feet to land now or late of Renton, thence turning and running North easterly by said land now or late of Renton, Fifty-one feet to Lot No. Three on said plan, thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Lot No. Three on said plan, Ninety-two and 36-100 feet to said Camden Road, thence turning and running Southwestly by said Camden Road, Sixty feet to said Lot No. Five and thence along its northern line, being Lot No. Four on said plan, and containing 4854 feet of land.

Being a portion of the estate conveyed to said George H. Pratt by Caleb and Margaret Pratt, by deed dated June 11th, 1888, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Libro 1854, Page 507.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments.

\$5000—Time and place of sale.
Newton Savings Bank, Mortgagee.
By Adolphus J. Blanchard, Treasurer.
Boston, February 21, 1906.
Frank A. Mason, Atty.,
31 Milk Street, Boston, Mass.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of George Moulton late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and advertising the same, and all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
LOUISE L. HARWOOD, Executor.
Address Newton Centre, Mass.
Feb. 26, 1906.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate in Newton.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Michael Shanahan to William H. Ely, dated the twenty-eighth day of May, 1894, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Libro 2184, folio 53, said mortgage having been assigned to said William H. Ely, by deed dated by assignment dated the tenth day of August, 1905, and recorded with said Middlesex South District Deeds, Libro 2184, folio 53, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—All the following lots of land situated in Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shown as the lots numbered sixteen (16) and forty-five (45) on a plan of land situated in Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, drawn by E. Woodward, surveyor, dated June 20, 1873, duly recorded, said lots being together bounded southerly by Fairbanks Avenue two hundred eighty-two feet; easterly by Remis Street one hundred forty-two (142) feet; northerly by the Lot No. eight (8) on said plan one hundred thirty-nine (139) feet (142.87) feet; easterly again by said Lot No. eight (8) six (6) feet (6.43) feet; northerly by the Lot No. three (3) on said plan one hundred thirty-nine (139) feet (142.87) feet; westerly by Washington Street one hundred twenty (120) feet; containing 3,478 square feet.

For title of said Michael Shanahan see deed to him from said William H. Ely dated May 28, 1894, and recorded with said Middlesex South District Deeds, and the premises subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed to Shanahan.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes, or municipal assessments whatsoever.

\$1000 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, other terms at the sale.
FRANK L. MARSHALL,
Assign and present holder of said mortgage.

For further particulars inquire of Francis Burke, 31 State St., Boston, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry R. Turner late of Newton, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Benjamin H. Turner, who prays that letters of administration may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Spear, late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Abbie Spear of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

To the Commissioner of Corporations of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Respectfully represents the First Baptist Church of West Newton, a Corporation organized under the laws of said Commonwealth, located in the city of Newton, and subject to the provisions of chapter 36 of the Revised Laws, that, at a meeting of said Corporation called for that purpose, and duly held on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1906, it was voted, by a vote of two-thirds of its members, present and voting thereon, to change its name, and to adopt the name of Lincoln Park Baptist Church of West Newton, which vote is in the words, following, to wit:

Voted: That the name of this church be changed from First Baptist Church of West Newton to the Lincoln Park Baptist Church of West Newton, and that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Commissioner of Corporations for said change, and be authorized to sign all papers necessary to perfect such change or to perform such acts in behalf of the Church for this purpose.

Wherefore said Corporation hereby makes application to said Commissioner to authorize said Corporation to change its name, as aforesaid, after due notice and hearing, as required in chapter 106 of the Revised Laws, and in compliance with the provisions of said chapter.

Dated this 16th day of February, A. D. 1906.

First Baptist Church of West Newton.

By HENRY A. INMAN, Moderator.

ALFRED L. BARPOUR, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

COMMISSIONER OF CORPORATION

State House, Boston, February 20, 1906.
Upon the application aforesaid, it is ordered that the applicant give to all persons interested public notice, to appear before the Commissioner of Corporations at the State House in Boston on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of March, 1906, at ten o'clock A. M., by publishing a notice in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, in the County of Middlesex, printed in the publication to be two days at least before said meeting, that they may then and there show cause, if any they have, why said application should not be granted.

WILLIAM D. T. TREFFRY,

A true copy of application and order.

WILLIAM D. T. TREFFRY,

Commissioner of Corporations.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Catherine M. Smith of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Thomas Weston, dated December 1, 1890, and recorded with the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 2519, Page 436, for breach of the condition in said mortgage deed, namely:—that the said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land situated in that part of Newton aforesaid, called Elliot, on Carver road, and being lot numbered forty-nine (49) on a plan of Land in Newton, Mass., drawn by E. S. Smith, dated June 10th, 1890, and recorded in said Registry, Book 04, of Plans No. 1, bounded and described as follows, viz:—Northwesterly on Carver Road, there measuring sixty feet; northeasterly on Lot No. 50 on said plan there measuring one hundred and forty feet; southeasterly on Lot No. 39 on said plan there measuring sixty feet; southwesterly on Lot No. 48 on said plan there measuring one hundred and forty feet; containing 800 square feet.

Two Hundred (\$200) Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

THOMAS WESTON, Mortgagee.
Weston & Weston, Attorneys,
410 Sears Bldg., Boston.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Jane J. Burdett late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Frank W. Anidion who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

CONGRESSIONAL DINNER

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and they preserve that tradition of devotion to a leader, and I wish to tell you a beautiful story that illustrates that. You remember in the Civil War there was a Kentuckian who figured very prominently—John C. Breckinridge, the vice-president of the United States. He was more nearly a human Adam than any man that ever came from the South. He was the most genial, the most gentle and the most lovable of leaders. He made the race for Congress in the old Ashland district which was formerly represented by Henry Clay, and in Henry Clay's lifetime that district at that time was overwhelmingly Whig. It was said that no man could carry it as a Democrat during the lifetime of Henry Clay. The race was made against old Governor Letcher one of the strongest and ablest men in the district. It was thought to be hopelessly Whig, for majorities like that in Kentucky stand; they do not change. If a man has got a district which is 2000 Republican and 2000 Democratic and falls four votes short of it, somebody dies. (Laughter.) So he started out on a seemingly hopeless cause. With a wonderful eloquence, with an urbanity so contagious, so mesmeric, so marvelous that all men loved him—never offended, never angry, always gentle, eloquent, impressive—something about the man, you could not tell what it was—few men have it. Blaine had it, with an atmosphere, a charm, an electric force that seemed to come from the very fingers and eyes of the man, he touched men's hearts and commanded their admiration. In a way the occupant of the White House possesses that same indescribable charm for all the world. (Applause.) It was long before they had any telephones or telegraphs, and when the returns began to come in from Woodford, from Mercer and from Scott, John C. was at the Phenix Hotel, talking by about two inches than any man around him—a Hercules, or rather, an Achilles and an Apollo all in one. His friends one after another looked up at him and said, "Look here, John, you can't win; you're cutting down the majorities, that is wonderful, but you can't win." Way back toward the hill country to the east in the mountains was the great county of Owen, populous, and as impressive as Ireland. (Laughter.) And he said to his friends in the early morning, just as the darkness began to be dispelled, just as old Shakespeare would say, as

"Night's candles were burned out, and jocund day stood tip-toe on the misty mountain tops,"

he turned and looked at the hills of Owen, all roseate in the first rays of the dawn, and said, "Wait, boys, wait till we hear from my old sweet hills of Owen." And within five minutes a horseman rode in upon a steed all flecked with foam and staggering in his tracks, threw the returns from Owen County at his feet, and John C. Breckinridge had overcome a Whig majority which had not been shaken in fifty years. (Applause.) Forever afterwards, as long as he lived no matter whether as member of Congress or as Senator or as vice-president, in every campaign he came back to Owen county. There is a place in Owen county, you know of the beautiful, that you all should see. I have traveled through the Royal Gorge in Colorado, I have seen Pike's Peak lift its snowy cap toward the stars; I have gazed upon the silent majesty of the ocean when it was God's thought at rest, and I have seen it dash its tawny mane against the frowning cliffs when it was as terrific as the anger of the Deity; but I have never seen anything more beautiful than the "old sweet hills of Owen" clad in eternal emerald and its balmy air interlaced at sunset with a rainbow. There is among those hills an amphitheatrical arrangement; the hill comes around like a fishhook and in the center of it as a great mound 50 or 60 feet in height, sloping gradually toward this encircling ridge, which is 500 or 600 feet, and from the side of the mountain there bursts a clear stream of water as large as a man's body. It falls in cascades down the frowning cliffs, then is lost in clear pools, then again it breaks and winds its way down the mountain side, and when it reaches the foot of the hill it winds between those encircling cliffs to this mound. On the top of the mound stands an elm 150 feet in height. Its broad limbs are scarcely 50 feet from the earth and on the top an eagle has built her nest, and they call it "the old eagle tree" and under that shield, aged John C. delivered such orations as have not been heard since death placed its pallid finger upon the inspired lips of Henry Clay and will not be heard again in all this land until the commanding eloquence of an archangel shall command you and me to face the quick and the dead. (Applause.) They came by tens of thousands to hear him until he died.

Now those were not a literary people; they were not a reasoning people. They were true and they were emotional and they had in them that old Saxon spirit of hero-worship. Years after the death of John C. Breckinridge, W. C. Breckinridge, who was the most gifted man Kentucky has produced since the death of his uncle John C., came to Congress, and knowing this old tradition of Breckinridge and the eagle tree, he made his first speech there, and every year afterwards, he came and spoke there, and they felt that they were paying tribute to the memory of the dead rebel general, to the memory of the dead vice-president, to the memory of the dead orator, as well as listening to the man who was most fitted of all others, as far as talents were concerned, to be his successor.

In closing, Mr. Stanley gave a vivid word picture of the scene when "Belly" Breckinridge, as he was called, appeared at the old eagle tree after his moral downfall to plead with his constituents, men of little intellectual culture but of the strictest morality, who, he said, gathered in thousands, "silent as statues, fixed as marble, sad as night, listening to the man they loved but could not honor." Mr. Stanley reproduced the pathetic appeal of the disgraced statesman for forgiveness, imitating his voice and style of oratory in a manner that won enthusiastic applause.

At the conclusion of the speaking, a verse of America was sung and the Congressional dinner of 1906 was a thing of the past.

Seated at the head table were Congressman Stanley, Hogg and Weeks, Joint-Governor Draper, President of the Senate William F. Dana, Mayor Warren, ex-Mayor Fenno, ex-Mayor Cobb, J. J. McCarthy, Surveyor of Boston, President Van Etten of the N.Y. Central, Hon. M. O. Adams, and Messrs. J. Richard Carter, Frank J. Hale, Seward W. Jones and Frank R. Moore.

Among those noted at tables were Aldermen Frank A. Day, Albert P. Carter, E. K. Hall, S. W. Holmes, T. W. White, E. P. Bosson, and C. A. Clarke, ex-Aldermen Riley, Dennison, J. W. French, W. H. Pulsifer, E. D. Van Tassel, Geo. Hutchinson, Senator D. W. Lane, Private Secretary Charles Gettemy, Executive Officer E. C. Mansfield of the Republican State Committee, ex-Senator A. S. Apsey, Representative C. V. Blanchard of Somerville, Frank E. Dickerman of the State Committee, Chas. E. Hatfield, W. F. Garcelon, D. G. Wing, A. S. Woods, G. L. Jones, Chas. F. Weed, F. H. Loveland, J. B. Jamieson, H. R. Nash, H. V. Jones, E. L. Whitney, A. T. Lovett, W. C. Brooks, Jr., R. G. Elkins, Dr. H. C. Spencer, E. T. Ryder, C. F. Johnson, Jr., H. H. Cook, J. A. Potter, F. D. Sawin, S. W. French, Dr. James Utley, Dr. E. R. Utley, E. K. Hallett, Franklin Bancher, E. A. Thippen, Dr. Paine, and Messrs. Seaver and Wells of the Megantic Club, J. E. Mullen, A. H. Decatur, H. S. Waite, W. H. Rogers, A. E. Gill, L. C. Palfy, J. H. Eddy, Fred Simpson, J. B. Simpson, Geo. E. Brigham, J. F. Perry, Fred Johnson, J. K. Parks, A. H. Paul, G. R. Real, E. A. Walker, C. H. Williams, Arthur Lamson, Wm. Hedges, H. M. Gordon, Arthur Veazie, C. H. Breck, G. T. Coppins, W. E. Jones, J. K. Taylor, W. J. Follett, H. N. Sweet, J. A. Gould, Geo. Walker, Col. W. L. Sautborn, E. P. Young, A. S. Glover, J. Clifton Whitney, F. W. Dorr, W. O. Delano, Dexter Brackett, G. B. King, C. N. Fitts, E. S. George, S. W. Manning, C. F. Avery, City Solicitor Slocum, S. A. Conover, G. H. Shapley, E. H. Knowlton, C. E. Baldwin, E. C. Wilcox, W. H. Allen, Dr. Hopkins, Commissioner G. W. Bishop, Chas. D. Burrage, E. P. Hatch, W. H. Bacon, W. M. Bullivant, Chas. W. Leonard, Fred Felton, L. B. Kent, Dr. J. J. Coxeter, F. M. Copeland, N. A. Francis, G. J. Barker, H. H. Sawyer, F. E. Critchett, O. W. Walker, N. P. Winchell and others.

Congressman Hogg's speech will be published next week.

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—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Washington street, Newtonville. Tel. Newton 112-3.

—Officer Charles T. Bartlett is reported improving from his recent injury.

—Mr. Frank E. Percival of Centre street is able to be out after his recent illness.

—Mrs. Margaret Wade of Commonwealth avenue is moving to her new house at Oak Hill.

—Mr. Arthur Farwell of Moreland avenue has returned from a visit to Palm Beach, Florida.

—At the Unitarian church Rev. Alfred H. Brown of Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach next Sunday at 10.30.

—Rev. Dr. Everett D. Burr of Beacon street has returned from an extended trip through the west and south.

—Hon. J. R. Leeson was among the passengers sailing for Liverpool Tuesday on the Saxonia of the Cunard line.

—Rev. R. T. Flewelling will exchange next Sunday with Rev. Dillon Bronson of St. Marks Methodist church Brookline.

—At the Methodist church next Sunday evening Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling will give a talk on "The Wholesome Hope of Harvest."

—Mrs. Alfred S. Norris of Glenwood avenue entertained a party of friends with cards one afternoon last week at the Newton Club.

—Miss Martha A. S. Shannon will conclude her course of lectures on "The Story of Rome in the Marble Faun, at the Pleasant street reading room next Friday morning.

—Plans are now in progress for "Villagers" night, to be held in Bray hall on March 27th. A banquet, good speaking and a social hour are on the program.

—On Monday afternoon, Mrs. Waldo Richards gave a dramatic and dialect recital in Bray Hall. This evening she gave another recital at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bemis at Chestnut hill.

—At the annual meeting of the Maria B. Furber Missionary Society of the First church held recently the following officers were chosen for the coming year: president, Miss Elizabeth E. Nash; vice president, Miss Charlotte Swain; secretary, Miss Maud Barton; treasurer, Miss Florence F. Skilton.

A wedding of considerable interest to friends here was that of Miss Maria Spear Daniels daughter of Mrs. John H. Daniels and Mr. Frederick Willbur Bakenham of Newton which took place Wednesday at the bride's residence on Cypress street. Rev. Edward A. Chase, of Wallaston, an old friend of both families, was the officiating clergyman. Mr. and Mrs. Bakenham will make their future home on Cypress street.

—Mr. Thomas Peters, formerly of London, England, and a resident of Newton for many years passed away at his home on Centre street Tuesday after a brief illness. He was 71 years of age. Deceased was engaged in the real estate business in Boston. A widow and one daughter survive him. Funeral services were held from the chapel in Newton Cemetery Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. George G. Phillips officiating and the interment was in the family lot.

—Mrs. Lois Louisa Winkley Partridge, wife of Francis C. Partridge died very suddenly last Saturday at the Newton hospital. She was a native of Barnstead, N. H., and was 33 years of age. Deceased was a young woman with a most lovable disposition and was an artist of considerable talent. Her husband survives her. Funeral services were held from the family residence on Westbourne road Tuesday at 1.30. Rev. Dr. Walcott Calkins, officiating, and the burial was at Forest Hills Cemetery.

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—Mr. John H. Powers and family have moved into the Ireland house on Irving street.

—Robert L. Warner of this village has been granted a patent on a holder for shaving sticks.

—Mr. F. A. Leavitt of Brookline has purchased for occupancy the Ober house on Cypress street.

—Mr. Herbert D. Ward of Dudley street is enjoying his annual visit to Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Edward E. Dunn of Langley road continues to improve from his recent severe illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Swanton of Warren street are spending a part of the month in Georgia.

—Mr. Charles H. Glover of Willow street is spending the remainder of the winter season in Florida.

—Mr. William Regan is moving with his family into the house he recently purchased on Francis street.

—Miss Amy Morse of Centre street has been spending a part of the month in Bangor, Me., with friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Ayer and Miss Beatrice Ayer are at Palm Beach, Florida, for a few weeks' sojourn.

—Lawson, the young son of Mr. Louis A. Vachon of Pelham street, is reported much improved from his recent illness.

—Mr. Elias B. Bishop of Beacon street has been appointed by Judge Bralley as receiver of the Revere Water Company.

—Mr. William H. Wales has had plans drawn for a new house and barn on Greenwood street in the Oak Hill district.

—The Wa-Wat Press, of which Mr. Arthur Farwell of Moreland avenue is the editor, is publishing a series of interesting books on American composers. They contain both vocal and instrumental music.

—The Monday Club meets next week with Mrs. Peckham, Rockledge road.

—The West End Club met with Mrs. E. H. Tarbell, Lincoln street on Monday.

—Monday, March 12, the C. L. S. C. will meet with Miss Manson, Lincoln street.

—Mr. C. B. Lentell has just returned from a month's vacation through Florida and Cuba.

—Mrs. H. E. Wells of Norman road gave a luncheon last Tuesday to the Monday Club Choir.

—R. W. Sanderson of Floral street entertained a number of his friends at a whist last Saturday night.

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—The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold a food sale on Saturday afternoon at Mr. Masters' store on the corner of Hartford street.

—Dr. John H. Pettee, who achieved notoriety in the recent "dress suit" case in Boston died on Tuesday at the residence of Dr. Robert W. Guler, Lake avenue.

—Mrs. Abbie V. Stevens and her daughter, Miss Emma G. Stevens have returned to their home on Lincoln street after spending most of the winter in Malden.

—Next Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock the Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held in the M. E. church. In the evening service at 7.30 o'clock Rev. C. F. Rice, D. D., the presiding elder, will speak.

—The Mock Trial given in Lincoln hall Wednesday evening was one of the best entertainments ever given here. There were nearly 650 people present who heartily enjoyed the local hits and the trial. The result must be very gratifying to those who worked so hard to make it successful.

—In the death of George Dyer Eldridge, Jr., on March 2nd, his many Newton associates have lost a true and loyal friend. His was his home in childhood and here he was laid to rest on Monday, services being held in the chapel at the Newton Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Shim officiating.

West Newton.

The regular meeting of the Monday Club was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Wynan on Temple street.

A Japanese comedy entitled, "The Revenge of Shari-Hot-Su," will be given by the Junior Parish in the Unitarian church parlors this evening at 7.45. There will be dancing after the performance. The proceeds are to be used for the carving of one of the carrels which the Junior Parish wish to give as their contribution to the new church.

—Mrs. Ellen Wiswall was among the guests present at the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Wiswall which was celebrated in Reading last Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Wiswall, who are natives of this city, were married in Newton and have lived in Reading about five years. They are both prominent in the social and church life of the town.

Two boys of mischievous disposition broke into the shop of George W. Terrill on Derby street Sunday and tried their hand in painting, covering the walls with the contents of various paint pots the result being remarkable in its bizarre effects. The last act was to spill every pot onto the floor making a look like a huge landscape scene by an old Dutch master. The police thinking they knew the boys and are keeping watch of their actions.

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—Mr. James Ford of Melrose street is improving in health and is able to be out.

—Mrs. F. H. Hoge of Groveland street is enjoying a sojourn in New Orleans.

—Mr. Luther T. Benyon and family of Newton are moving here and will reside on Woodbine street.

—Mr. William E. Scribner of Lexington street is away on a business and pleasure trip through the south.

—Mrs. George W. Clapp of Auburndale avenue has had as a guest the past week Mrs. J. H. Cummings of Syracuse, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Haskell of Vista avenue are in California where they went with a Raymond & Whitcomb party.

—Miss S. L. Guild, a sister of Gov. Curtis Guild, who has been at the Woodland Park Hotel is now visiting friends in Weston.

—Mr. W. W. Tyler will be in charge of the mid week meeting at the Congregational church this evening. The topic will be, "God's Justice."

—Heloise, the young daughter of Mr. Charles E. Kennedy of Central street is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Newton hospital.

—Miss Baldwin is the guest of her brother Mr. V. D. Baldwin of Lexington street. Mr. Baldwin has just returned from a trip to Cambridge, N. Y.

—At the recent annual reunion of the 42d Regiment Association held at the Quincy House, Boston, Mr. George M. Fiske was chosen a member of the executive committee.

—Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Sleeper entertained the "The Pierian," the literary and musical society of Wellesley College, at their home in Wellesley last Wednesday evening.

—Rev. Dr. Francis N. Peloubet '53 was among the members present at the annual dinner of the Williams College Alumni held Friday evening at the University Club, Boston.

—Bishop Willard F. Mallahan of Grove street will attend the New England Methodist Episcopal Southern Conference which will be held later in March in Newport, R. I.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rufus K. Porter who were married last week are spending their honeymoon in Jamaica where they went on the Admiral Dewey of the United Fruit Company's line.

—Mr. Charles D. Buono of Newton Centre has purchased the barber shop formerly owned by Jacob Labovich in the Taylor building. Mr. Labovich and family have moved to Boston.

—Mrs. Edward Crompton will have the sympathy of her many friends in the death of her mother Mrs. Augusta A. Wetherbee of South Acton which occurred the last of the week in Cambridge.

—The last of the series of "Studies in the Wonderful Life," will be considered at a meeting of the Friendly Class at the Congregational church next Sunday. Mrs. F. N. Peloubet will speak on "The Other Holy Places."

—An interesting and well attended meeting of the Searchlight Club was held Wednesday at the home of Miss Ruth Strongman on Woodland road. Mrs. Bridgman of South Africa was the special guest and speaker.

—At Lasell Seminary the class in practical housekeeping, under the direction of Mrs. Loomis, has begun its work. Each member of the class acts as hostess for one week, doing the marketing, planning the menus and keeping the accounts.

—A pretty dancing party was given by the Alpha Tenth Club, composed of students in the Newton High School, in Norumbega hall last Saturday evening. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 12. The matrons were Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Kyder.

—At the Congregational church next Friday evening the fifth in the course of lectures will be given by Rev. Dr. Edward M. Noyes of Newton Centre. His subject will be "Light from School Day Memories on the Problems of Parents and Teachers."

—At Lasell Seminary last Thursday evening Miss Mary Augusta Milklin, teacher of art, gave a lecture on "Our Ancestors." She spoke of the effects of artistic and marvellous decoration of windows, floors and walls, illustrating her points by stereopticon views.

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—A concert will be given in the Congregational chapel on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in charge of the Gordon W. C. T. U. Songs of Scotland will be sung by a Scotch chorus, May Sleeper Ruggles, soprano soloist, James K. Morrison, tenor soloist, Master George Graham, violinist, David Farrier, pipe major and Edith M. Snell, reader.

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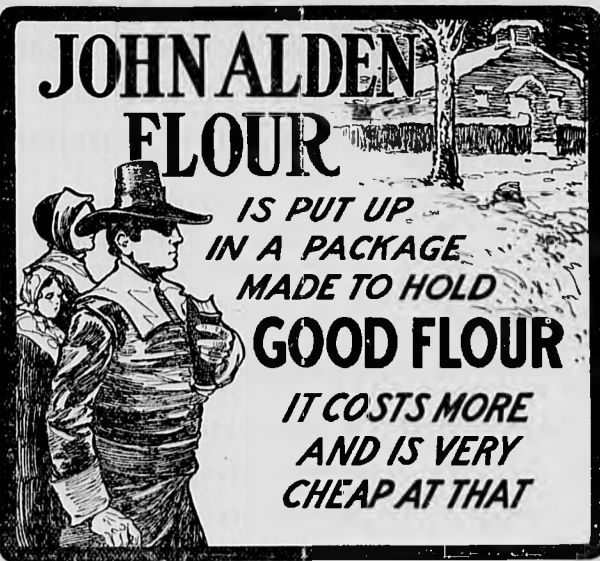
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—Mrs. Henry B. Eager is reported
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road is spending a part of the month in
Mexico.

—Mrs. James P. Airth of Barnes
road is recovering from an attack of
diphtheria.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Munroe of Willard
street has been enjoying a sojourn in
California recently.

—Miss Evelyn Fitzell of Philadelphia
has been a guest this week of Miss Ben-
lah Bailey of Surrey road.

—Mr. Clifford Kendall of New York
was in town the past week the guest of
relatives on Park street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Rice of
Eliot street started last Monday on a
two weeks trip to Florida.

—Mr. Wellington Howes has returned
from the hospital and is recovering at
his home on Charlesbank road.

—Mr. Julius S. Hart of Charlesbank
road has rented and will soon occupy
the Pitman house on Church street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Stone and
Miss Freda L. Stone of Baldwin street
have moved to Ashford street, Allston.

—Mr. L. W. Crowe of Eliot street,
for many years a builder in Newton, is
about to remove, with Mrs. Crowe, to
Alberta, Canada.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Stone-
metz of The Evans have the sympathy
of their friends in the serious illness of
their two children.

—Mrs. H. G. Safford has returned
from Nashville, Tenn., where she was
one of the speakers at the Convention of
Student Volunteers.

—At the annual meeting of the Mas-
sachusetts Mining Company held in
Boston Thursday Mr. Charles E. Riley
of Bellevue street was elected a member
of the board of directors.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hill are spend-
ing the month of March at vacation
points in Florida. At present they are
guests at the Ponce de Leon, St. An-
gustine, Florida.

—The young men who took part in
the production of "Yankee Doodle" at
the Hummell club last month, together
with the composer, author, coach, stage
and business managers, enjoyed a "get-
together" in the Eliot church parlors,
Monday evening. After a spread there
were informal speeches. Walter C.
Whitney acting as toastmaster. Rev. Mr.
Hatch was one of the guests. The post-
prandial exercises were of necessity
brief as it was felt that the time should
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petition of the show of the Hummell
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—Mrs. J. Arthur Johnson of Nash-
ville, Tenn., who formerly lived here,
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William Nash of Pearl street.

—Rev. Dr. Watson J. Phillips of
New Haven, Conn., who occupied the
pulpit of Eliot church, Sunday, was the
guest of Rev. D. M. James of Vernon
street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weld Stearns
of Cincinnati, who have been visiting
Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Wood Holbart have
taken apartments at "The Charlesgate"
in Boston.

—Mr. William E. Litchfield has com-
pleted the extensive improvements to
the Holmes house, he recently pur-
chased, on Bellevue street and now
occupies the same.

—The Sunday school teachers of
Eliot church are arranging an unique
social event for the parents of their
scholars in their respective classes to be
held in the chapel the coming week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Marshman
and Miss Annie Marshman of Park
street returned Monday from Rock-
ville, Conn., where they were called by
the death of Mr. Marshman's sister.

—A number of friends of Captain J.
D. Paine, residing in the Mount Ida
district, sent him a letter of congratu-
lation Tuesday, at his home in North
Falmouth, the day being his 80th birth-
day.

—Rev. George S. Butters will speak
at a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. to be
held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at
the Watertown Methodist church. His
topic will be, "A Man's Responsibility
for Himself."

—Mr. William J. Hurley of Brook-
line will have the sympathy of his
friends in the death of his young daugh-
ter, May Ida, on Monday. The funeral
was held Tuesday from the house and
the burial was in the cemetery at Wat-
ertown.

—The monthly meeting of the Wo-
man's Missionary Societies connected
with the Methodist church were held
Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs.
S. J. Norris on Church street. Mrs.
Jerome Soudericker and Mrs. F. W.
Chase spoke of Missionary Work being
done on the Congo.

—Rev. Franklin S. Hatch will con-
tinue his half hour Lenten services in
the Eliot church parlors next Wednes-
day afternoon at 5 o'clock. The topic
will be, "My God, My God, Why Hast
Thou Forsaken Me?" this being a part
of the general subject, "The Seven Last
Words of Jesus."

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. M. Holley of
Charlesbank road entertained friends at
whist last Monday evening, while cel-
ebrating their eleventh wedding anni-
versary. Prizes were won by Mr. and
Mrs. George M. Bridges of Newton-
ville and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barry of
West Roxbury.

—At the Methodist church next Sun-
day evening Rev. Dr. George S. But-
ters will continue his Lenten sermons
on "Practical Questions in Common
Life." The theme will be, "The Ques-
tion of an Honest Man." Miss Irene
Howland of Boston will be the soloist.
—At an alarm from box 113 at 2:30
Sunday afternoon was for a fire in the
residence of Mrs. J. N. Brewer on Ar-
lington street caused by a defective flue.
The damage will be slight.

—Mr. George S. Cotton, a well
known resident on Washington street,
died at the Newton hospital of pneu-
monia Sunday after a short illness. He
was a native of Hope, Maine, and was
39 years of age. Deceased was in the
employ of Newcomb's express. A
wife survives him. Funeral services
were held from his late residence Tues-
day afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr.
George W. Shinn officiating, and the
interment was in Walnut Hill Ceme-
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—Rev. Dr. G. A. Gordon of the Old
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Eliot church next Sunday morning.

—Miss Elsie V. Tucker has been here
from Kennebunk, Me., this week the
guest of her parents on Church street.

—Mrs. Sarah A. Niles is having the
remains of her house on Arlington
street, which was badly damaged by
fire torn down.

—Mrs. George R. McFarlin enter-
tained the Freedman's Aid Society at
her home on Hummell avenue, Thurs-
day afternoon.

—Dr. J. F. Bothfeld and family will
make their home at Miss Wright's, 450
Centre street, while the new apartment
house is being built.

—Mr. Stephen J. Quinn is making
improvements to his residence on Eli-
wood street, which he has just moved
into with his family.

—The Eight O'clock Club will ob-
serve its 20th anniversary at the home
of Mr. William F. Garcelon on Church
street next Tuesday evening.

—Officer N. F. Bosworth has been
assigned to night duty at Station 3, tak-
ing the place made vacant by the death
of Officer W. S. Bosworth.

—Mr. Abraham Otis Swan was elect-
ed a member of the Loyal Legion at
the meeting held at the American
House, Boston, Wednesday.

—The regular meeting of the Neigh-
borhood Circle was held Monday af-
ternoon at the residence of Mrs. Wil-
lard G. Brackett on Bellevue street.

—Mrs. S. B. Whittemore of Wash-
ington street was the hostess for the
next in the series of children's dances
which was held last Saturday evening.

—At a recent meeting of the Norum-
bega Woman's Club of Charlestown
held last week Mrs. Sterling Elliot read
an interesting paper on "Domestic
Science."

—Prof. George F. Jewett with mem-
bers of the Mt. Ida school were among
the audience at the Randolph Hutchin-
son recital held last week in Steiner
hall, Boston.

—Hon. Samuel L. Powers was among
the invited guests on Saturday of the
Congressional party which came on
from Washington to investigate the
Custom House conditions.

—Mrs. Fred H. Loveland gave a
pretty afternoon tea at her home on
Hummell terrace Friday which was
attended by a large number of ladies
of the younger society set.

—College Night comes this evening at
eight o'clock in Channing Church Par-
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Medical Inspection of Schools.

To provide for Protecting the Health of Children in the Public Schools. Section 1. The school committee of every town and of every city except Boston shall appoint one or more school physicians, shall assign a school physician to every school within its city or town, shall provide him with all necessary blanks and with all proper facilities for the performance of his duties, and shall require him to call at every school to which he is assigned daily or at such other interval as may be prescribed by the committee, and whenever notified by the head of the school, except that in the case of schools in remote and isolated situations the school committee may, after consultation with the state board of education, make such other arrangement as may best carry out the purposes of this act. Each school physician shall make a medical examination and diagnosis of all children referred to him for that purpose, and such further examinations of pupils, teachers, and janitors, and of the school buildings, as in his opinion the protection of the health of the pupils may require, and shall report the result of such examinations to the head of the school.

Section 2. The school committee of every town and of every city except Boston shall require every teacher to report each morning to the head of the school the case of every child belonging in his room who shows signs of being in ill health, or of suffering from infectious or contagious disease, and of every child returning to school after absence for unknown cause or on account of illness. The head of the school, upon receiving such report, shall as soon as possible notify the school physician and refer to him all such cases for examination; and shall cause notice of the disease, if any, from which any child is found to be suffering to be sent to his parent or guardian. Whenever in the opinion of the school physician or of the head of the school a child's condition requires that he should be sent home, and whenever a child shows symptoms of smallpox, scarlet fever, measles, chicken pox, tuberculosis, diphtheria, influenza, tonsillitis, whooping cough, mumps, scabies, or trachoma, the head of the school shall send him home immediately, or as soon as safe and proper conveyance can be found, and in cases of the above specified diseases shall at once notify the board of health.

Section 3. The school committee of every city and town shall cause every child in the public schools to be separately and carefully tested and examined at least once in every school year so as to ascertain whether he is suffering from defective sight or hearing or from any other disability or defect tending to prevent his receiving the full benefit of his school work, or requiring a modification of the school work in order to prevent injury to the child or to secure the best educational results. The tests of sight and hearing shall be made by teachers. The committee shall cause notice of any defect or disability requiring treatment to be sent to the parent or guardian of the child, and shall require a physical record of each child to be kept in such form as the state board of education shall prescribe.

Section 4. The school committee may employ such nurses or other persons as it deems necessary and desirable to supplement and follow up the precautions required by this act.

Section 5. The state board of education shall, after consultation with the state board of health, prescribe and furnish to school committees suitable rules of instruction, test-cards, blanks, record books and other useful appliances for carrying out the purposes of this act, and shall provide for pupils in the normal schools instruction and practice in the best methods of testing the sight and hearing of children. The board of education may expend during the year nineteen hundred and six a sum not greater than three thousand dollars, and annually thereafter a sum not greater than one thousand dollars for the purpose of supplying the material required by this act.

Section 6. This act shall take effect on the first day of September in the year nineteen hundred and six.

Editor of the NEWTON GRAPHIC:

Dear Sir:

The accompanying bill for Medical Inspection in the Public Schools, put in by the Mass. Civic League, has the support of the State Board of Education, of Dr. Walcott of the State Board of Health, of the Mass. Medical Society, the Mass. Homeopathic and Boston Homeopathic Societies, of the Mass. Association of School Superintendents, of the Mass. Federation of Women's Clubs, and of many other organizations and individuals well known in the medical and educational world.

The chief objections made are that medical inspection is unnecessary, that it is expensive, and that teachers are not qualified and ought not to be required to carry out the provisions of the bill.

1. The Need. Children are constantly going to school while suffering from some serious disease and returning to school while still in condition to give the contagion to others. In Boston 450 children were recommended to be sent home from school in 1904 for diseases, chiefly, infections. Again, about 25 per cent of school children have defective eyesight and 5 per cent defective hearing sufficient to be remedied, to interfere seriously with their school work, these defects being largely unknown to parents, teachers, and the children themselves. As a result many children are kept back, punished, and often their lives irretrievably marred.

2. Expense. In 1904 the cost of medical inspection in Boston was \$2,897 and in Milton \$125. In Cambridge it cost \$700, in Malden and Winchester \$200, and in Andover \$70. If lives, health and happiness count for anything the financial outlay is small.

3. Teachers. Every good teacher notes the physical condition of her pupils from day to day and would be glad to have expert advice at her command. Making this observation a duty with a physician on call would be a relief rather than a burden. Skill in simple tests of sight and hearing is easily acquired. Any additional burden will be far more than compensated by lessening the number of backward and difficult children. Ten minutes spent in finding out whether a child can see may save ten years of trying to teach him to read without seeing.

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he can see the letters. If the school must give him oral instruction it should also find out whether he can hear.

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The Social Service Committee of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs,
Mrs. Fred H. Tucker,
Chairman.

Mrs. Sarah White Mason.

Mrs. Sarah (Wilson) White Mason, a resident of Newton Centre for over fifty years, died after a very brief illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward P. Mowton, in Yonkers, N. Y., on Sunday, at the advanced age of eighty-four. Mrs. Mason was born at Lancaster, N. H., on Jan. 23, 1822, and belonged to a family highly distinguished in Revolutionary times for devoted patriotism and honorable service, both in the field and in the State and National councils. On June 16, 1845, she married David Haven Mason, a lawyer of sterling character, who died in office as United States attorney for the district of Massachusetts in 1873, after an active and noble professional career marked with such dignity and principle without exception that he was eminently fitted for and enjoyed the sincere friendship and personal intimacy of the distinguished men of his time.

After the death of her husband Mrs. Mason turned with the same patient and untiring devotion to the tender responsibilities of her family, and during her many years of widowhood displayed to her children and grandchildren the exquisite dignity and purity of her character that is to them a priceless heritage. Mrs. Mason left a daughter, Malabel White Mowton, and three sons, Edward Haven Mason of Newton, Henry White Mason of Brookline, and Frank Atlee Mason of Newton. Two daughters died during her lifetime and thirteen grandchildren survive her.

Funeral services were held from Trinity church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. E. T. Sullivan officiating, and selections were rendered by a quartet. The interment was in the family tomb in Newton Cemetery.

Clubs and Lodges

Boynton Lodge of Odd Ladies observed its anniversary in Denison hall, Tuesday evening. About 75 couple were present. Supper was served from 6:30 to 7:30, whilst following from 8 to 10 and dancing until 12 o'clock.

A delegation from Tennyson Rebekah Lodge made a visit to Brighton Lodge in Allston last evening. A supper was served followed by an initiation of candidates.

The sixteenth anniversary and Ladies' night of Mount Ida Council, Royal Arcanum was held Monday eve. in Denison hall, Newtonville. About 150 members and guests were present and a banquet was held at 6:30. An entertainment followed consisting of a violin selection by Charles P. Tupper, duets by the Misses Grace C. and Florence M. White and readings by Miss Ethel Munro Batting. At the close of the entertainment dancing was enjoyed from 9 to 11, music being furnished by Mr. Charles L. Tupper, violin and Miss Helen A. Bassett, piano.

Another in the series of whists under the auspices of Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F. will be held in Denison hall, Newtonville, Friday evening, March 23d.

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At the Theatres

Coming Attractions

Boston Theatre—The dramatization of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" will be the attraction at the Boston Theatre for a limited period beginning a week from next Monday evening. The comedy interest of this three-act foot-light adaptation centres in the mirth-provoking episode of Mr. Stubbins and his matrimonial designs upon little Miss Hazy, the meek and shiftless neighbor of Mrs. Wiggs. The cast of twenty-six characters comprises almost all of the now familiar figures, while several new ones have been introduced. Most prominent among these is Hunkerdunkus Jones, the astrologer, who sends the spirit picture to little Miss Hazy, and to whom the introduction of Mr. Stubbins upon the scene as a bridegroom is thus due. The juvenile element in the story has not been overlooked, and all of the Wiggs children (Asia, Europa and Australia) and Billy, picturesque little Tommy, and peg-legged Chris, are all introduced with conspicuous juvenile mirth, while even the old nag, Cuby, is not forgotten. The company this season is practically the same as last. It is headed as heretofore by Mrs. Madge Carr Cook, who will again be seen in the role of the quaint, motherly Mrs. Wiggs. The seat sale will open next Monday.

Grand Opera House—Next week's attraction at the Boston Grand Opera House will be A. H. Mayo's latest and greatest production—"Tracked Around the World." As might be inferred from the title, the play gives the author a wide scope and an opportunity to furnish a first class spectacular as well as melodramatic play. There are enough sensational features consistently crowded into this melodrama to supply half a dozen of the usual melodramatic productions, so-called. The scenery is the work of the well known firm of Charles H. Yale, and gives some beautiful examples of the scenic artist's skill. The different sets are of a very elaborate nature comprising complete scenes, located in as many different climes. The engagement here is for one week with the usual matinees on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Tremont Theatre—The reception given to Mrs. Leslie Carter's revival of "Zaza" at the Tremont Theatre has been so cordial that the famous play will be continued through the coming week the fourth and last of the distinguished actress's stay in Boston. She has brought to the character all the skill and emotional power that made her acting of it so great a triumph several seasons ago. She captures her audience from the very beginning, and she portrays with wonderful variety the progress of the unhappy Zaza from the jovial and warm-hearted actress to the self-sacrificing woman of the final scene. In all the stormy scenes of the play she reveals astonishing depths of passion, and her reserve power enables her to carry through the quieter moments with equally telling effect. Immediately following the close of Mrs. Leslie Carter's engagement, Mr. Belasco will present at the Tremont, a grand revival of his famous drama, "The Heart of Maryland," with a phenomenally strong cast, including Odette Tyler, R. D. McLean, John E. Koller, Orrin Johnson, Egan Wallace Hopper and Wallace Edinger.

Keith's Theatre—Judging by the interest shown and the tremendous sensation he has created, it is no small wonder that the Keith management have decided to retain Houdini, "the king of the handcuffs," for the week of March 18. Scarcely is it that an act is held over at this popular playhouse for more than two weeks, and when one is it is safe to say that the interest created as shown by patronage by the amusement-seeking public hereabouts, is the reason for continuing the attraction. Houdini is such a versatile artist that one hardly knows what next to expect from him. He has escaped from handcuffs, packing cases, and wicker hamper, and during the past six days straitjackets have seemed to have had no terrors for him. Another act of the nerve-riveting order on the bill is the Hazardous Sphere, a globe made of steel wire, around the inner surface of which "Wizard" Stone rides on a 175-lb. motorcycle at a tremendous rate of speed. When the height of the globe is reached, the rider swoops head first and loops-the-loop over the top. The surrounding show is a capital one including Billy Single Clifford, "the Broadway champion," a big favorite hereabouts, who has not been seen at Keith's in two years, in vocal specialties and eccentric dancing; the Diamonds, a trio of Parisian street singers and instrumentalists; Joe Flynn, "the man behind the book"; Mr. and Mrs. Esmondie, in the one-act playlet, "In Alaska"; McRea and Poole, sharpshooters with the rifle and pistol; Martin Brothers, talented xylophonists, and Pathway and Walton, two of the best dancers in the varieties. The usual change in the comedy and interesting pictures will be made in the kinetograph.

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The... Crimsoning of the High Seas

By PERCIE W. HART

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THE regular pacing of the sentry from side to side upon the level deck showed more than anything else that the huge floating mass of machinery and guns was lying at anchor in a sheltered haven. With one eye and one ear alert for possible disturbance of his present quiet, the marine utilized his other eye and ear for matters of a personal and private nature. Up forward a crowd of jacksies were dispersing themselves in accustomed fashion. One couple had on boxing gloves, and their own agility, combined with the criticisms of surrounding mates, promised skill of no mean order in this form of manly exercise. A little apart from the rest and slightly screened from the full effect of the sun by an iron ventilating shaft two strangely diverse types of humanity lay stretched out upon the deck side by side. One was a big, dark complexioned Irishman, with the grime of coal dust worn into the very fiber of his skin; the other, an undersized, ruddy cheeked youth, showed indications of gentle upbringing in every move that he made. To the uninitiated their uniforms appeared to be identical, but there were certain earmarks and signs which showed their ratings to the nautical mind—the former as a coal passer, the latter as a member of the gun's crew. The Irishman was at the moment merely sleeping—passing away an idle hour after the fashion of all animals and many men. His companion was reading, apparently with deep interest, from a copy of the "Hill" in the original, for among the very lowest ranks in our navy, and unlike that of any other nation, you may find what you least expect.

An individual rather short and stout in figure came puffing up the steep ladder leading from the berth deck. Without pausing to watch the glove contest, now in its final and most exciting round, he slowly made his way aft.

"Hill!"

This abrupt command came from the lips of the sentry, whose single watchful eye and ear had sufficed.

"Hello, Billy," commented the intruder genially, completely unmindful of the other's show of dignity. "I want to speak with the captain for a minute or so. I've got a little scheme that—"

At this juncture it chanced that a tall and rather elderly looking officer came out from an adjacent cabin.

"Master Tailor Todds, sir," spoke out the sentry, bringing his pace to the salute. "Something he wants to show you."

"Oh, Todds! To show me?" remarked the captain somewhat wearily. Then motioning with his right hand he bade the other follow him.

Carefully holding what appeared to be some sort of an article of wearing apparel between his two pudgy hands, and posing it in midair as if he feared that even the soft contact of his own person might result in mutual injury, the visitor obeyed his commanding officer's gesture and trotted along behind him.

A big man-of-war vessel of the old fashioned type was a veritable village afloat, but a modern specimen of the same class is a city. On the broad and open deck of the old time frigate, where cattle roamed the spar deck and motherly hens raised their families in the longboats, was felt the freedom of village life, but not so on the monster modern ironclad. Here is well represented the compact and busy city. Does not the ever present trolley bring the coal from bunker to furnace and carry ammunition to the guns? The machine shops are well equipped factories in every sense of the word. Electric light wires and water mains run in all directions, and cement paved decks are laid wherever they may seem to be necessary.

Both villages and cities, moreover, possess craftsmen of various kinds, and such useful individuals are never lacking from a warship's complement. In the big gun days sailmakers, riggers, carpenters and spin yarn weavers were absolutely essential. Those have been succeeded in our present generation by stokers, pipe fitters, boiler-makers and electric linemen, but many of the other old callings continue to flourish in spite of the evolution from wooden hulls to steel ones and from shaking out the reefs in sails to plying on coal in the funnels. Among these ship's craftsmen who have thus survived the era of change, and amidst as important in these days of well fitting though simple uniforms as in those of earlier shape and lavish adornment, is that of the master tailor. It may take nine shore tailors to make a man, but one on shipboard often turns out very creditable specimens.

Obadiah Todds (so was he entered up on the books of the United States battleship Rhode Island) had scarcely been inside the captain's cabin two minutes before he emerged therefrom hurriedly and very red in the face. The sentry grinned derisively, but Todds never even scowled back at him.

"Foolish, is it?" he muttered as he returned to his quarters forward. "Foolish and nonsensical! Well, maybe it is, and then, again, maybe it isn't. Now, if he had said that there was no money available for supplying them at

the moment I'd feel different. However, I may get a chance to try the thing before long, and then we'll see."

And he carefully placed the big bundle of cloth out of harm's way and he took himself to his ordinary duties. Obadiah Todds was a product of New England, a section of country which has brought to light more ingenious contrivances for aiding and supplementing the work of man than any other similar stretch of territory upon the whole globe's face. As became one of his blood, Obadiah was an inveterate inventor. His very latest scheme had just been most emphatically denounced by his captain, but still following the blood strain which has given us sewing machines, typewriters and thousands of other similarly useful articles in spite of much more serious obstacles than their simple denouncement by an official—Obadiah cherished his project as tenderly as ever.

"I really believe that our whole company has gone crazy upon the subject of improvement in the latest improved modern methods of naval warfare," remarked Captain Beresford somewhat irritably to his aid, who had just entered the cabin. "The ship's tailor is the latest enthusiast. He has just been to see me about having the men supplied with a crazy kind of bullet proof coat that he has had patented. Had a model of the thing with him too. Lot of big steel spangles like, sewed on thick felt. Something on the idea of old chain armor, only Todds' variety of it looked more like fish scales than anything else. It's true enough, as he says, that the men about the superstructure are well high unprotected, but how on earth can you ask the enemy to fire only small arms at that particular spot? And Todds is just about the fifteenth today so far! One of the gunner's mates proposed a kind of an armor arrangement that was to be fitted upon the head of the shell, so that it would drill clean and clear right through one side of a ship and out the other. And then there has been Brownson with a wild and weird species of vernier for the range finders, and Lophincourt with something else. Anybody would think that I was the assistant secretary of the navy by the way they come after me."

And Lieutenant Mortimer discreetly kept in his pocket the diagram of a new and marvelous life evolution which he had spent the night hours of many weeks in formulating and conversed upon strictly nonprofessional topics with his chief.

Now, the specific order of the navy department had so decreed that the gallant United States battleship Rhode Island should be one of a fleet dispatched to contest the enemy's passage. After many weary days of watchful cruising one of the fast little dispatch boats came scurrying back to the main body with the news that there was a big bank of smoke to windward. Almost immediately strings of colored flags began going up and down upon the signal halyards of the American vessels, tall black arms zigzagged from the bridges like inspired scarecrows and little steam launches darted hither and thither through the fleet. The rather straggling procession of warships lined up with much greater accuracy of interval and its course changed so as to head directly toward the smoke bank of smoke.

Some little while after another small craft, an unprotected cruiser this time, came back to report the enemy as actually close at hand. The diminutive warship's flag signals were scarcely necessary to establish this last fact, however, for one of her two stubby masts was among the missing, and a portion of her superstructure had been cleared away with all the nicety of which a chance shot at long range is capable.

"The percentage of shattering as against incised wounds will be very large," argued Hughes in a gleeful tone of voice. "With one or two good eas involving the complete severance of the carotid artery, I—" To judge from their conversation at the mess table one might almost imagine that the chief surgeon and his assistant regarded the coming action as one especially designed to increase their store of professional knowledge.

"Did you see Hutton when you were aboard the Midget this morning?" queried Mortimer of Lophincourt as he passed the latter a desired sauce cruet.

"Yes," replied the one addressed. "Poor chap looked awfully white around the gills, and so were all of his people, in fact."

"Settle, I suppose?" interrogated the other.

"Yes," answered Lophincourt. "Those healthy little torpedo craft just threw themselves about like snappers upon the tail of a kite. It was all I could do to hold on, calm as it is today. Hutton has lost one of his men already. Thrown against the edge of the gun shield. Horrible! Another poor fellow was so battered up that I took him with me to the flagship for treatment. Whatever possessed Hutton to give up his comfortable berth with us and apply for that command?"

"He always was a torpedo enthusiast, even when we were at Annapolis together," replied Mortimer.

"By the bye, somebody told me that

he was married on the very day we sailed?" queried Lophincourt curiously.

"Is it true?"

"Yes," replied the other, somewhat stiffly. "The date had been fixed before hostilities were reckoned upon, and it was carried out accordingly. I was his best man. He married my cousin, Lily Rodman."

"You don't say so?" ejaculated Lophincourt. "Gad! How romantic! I remember having seen Miss Rodman that was. They must make a fine looking couple, for she certainly is a devilish handsome girl."

The well trained stewards flitted noiselessly about supplying the wants of their uniformed superiors, for it was now twilight, and no battle could well be fought until the morrow.

It is good to see men eat heartily at any time. It is especially good to see leaders of other men eat heartily just before coming dangers. The account of it, passed along from the steward of the officers' mess to the marine corporal, and so from boatswain's mate to able seaman and boatswain's boy, will have almost as much effect upon the common enemy as the great armor piercing projectiles now reposing so peacefully in their casings far down below the water line.

"I heard an awfully good story when I was west last summer," began Smithers in his usual inane fashion. "It seems—that there had been a cyclone quite recently. Most astounding things, those cyclones. Er—I was assured by any number of reputable citizens—er—but I'll tell you the story—er—and you can judge for yourselves. You see—"

"What weight of broadside per minute do you figure that the enemy can actually throw, sir?" queried Brownson in a portentous tone of voice. Brownson, it may be remembered, was the same individual who believed that he could give lessons regarding the proper verniers for range finders to the whole advance bureau.

"I'm sure I don't know," replied Lieutenant Beresford, "but I'd very much like to hear the rest of Smithers' cyclone story."

"Signal from flagship calling captains' conference at once, sir," announced an orderly, entering the mess room hurriedly and saluting as he spoke.

The lieutenant rose from the table, with a sigh. "Save some of that roast duck for me," were his parting words to the head steward.

The night set in dark and overcast. The air was heavy with the feel of an approaching storm center. While in no sense of the word quiet and subdued, the watch below were not nearly so boisterous as usual. There was considerable letter writing and some reverential Bible handling, but for most part the men utilized their hammocks as soon as they could be swung. The searchlights of the two hostile fleets kept flashing here, there and everywhere as they watched with jealous vigilance for signs of any untoward movement on the part of one another. In the early portion of the first morning watch the officer of the deck on board the Rhode Island was hanging over the taffrail, gazing somewhat mechanically at the gorgeous phosphorescent swirl of the wave crests, when a sea bill from close at hand aroused him.

"Aho! there! Is Lieutenant Mortimer on deck?" was the cry.

Instantly the quartermaster swung his great reflector around so that its light bore upon the point from which the voice proceeded. There, within blinding throw, framed in the circle of the searchlight's brilliancy and standing out in startling contrast against the surrounding blackness, was a small, half submerged craft—a floating infernal machine—a devourer of whole ships—a torpedo boat. Ugly and despicable enough she looked as, tossed like a wooden chip upon the waste of wa-



Beresford slammed down hard on a lever and shouted a dozen orders.

ters, she danced about in never ceasing movement. Upon her tiny bridge a tall figure wrapped in a dripping sea cape stood erect.

"Is that you, Ned?" replied Mortimer, for the watch officer was none other, in astonished tones.

"Yes, it's Ned—Ned Hutton," again spoke the other.

"What are you heading that way for?" began Mortimer. "You're sure not going back to?"

"Yes, we are to try to surprise them in the rear before daylight," answered Hutton. "Now look out. I'm going to

throw you something. It's a letter. You need not deliver it unless—unless something happens."

Seriously waiting to finish his sentence, Hutton's arm swung back, and a chunk of lead with a sheet of note paper wrapped tightly about it landed upon the deck at Mortimer's feet.

"Goodbye, old fellow," cried the tall figure upon the torpedo boat's bridge.

"Goodbye, Ned, old chap," answered Mortimer, gulping something hard down his throat at the same time. "Good luck to you!" he added as an afterthought. But even before he spoke at all in reply the little vessel had started onward, and the searchlight swinging forward once again left her in impenetrable obscurity.

Some hours later there was a quick glow in the distant sky, followed by the dull roar of an explosion that promised much. It certainly came from the direction in which the enemy's fleet lay. Soon after the sound of brisk cannonading was distinctly audible. In a short time this also ceased, and save for the never resting flashes from the huge reflectors nothing again disturbed the sullen quiet of the night.

The morning sun came up behind a bank of clouds, casting its glinting beam from one foam topped wave to another. The great opaque masses, tossing and wallowing about upon the surface, once again became visible to the eye in all their menacing detail of guns and turrets. Far down on the horizon the hulls of the enemy's fleet were now distinctly visible.

But of the little torpedo boat Midget there was not the slightest sign.

"It's horribly like chess," remarked the executive officer to Captain Beresford as they stood upon the flying bridge together. "Of course any player would sacrifice a pawn in order to take one of his opponent's castles. I presume we may be considered as having won in this first move?"

"How so?" interrogated the commander eagerly.

"The Midget has certainly blown up one of their very biggest battleships," replied the other, taking the glass down from his eyes as he spoke. "But, upon the other hand, their destroyers have undoubtedly made short work of her before she could get away."

Both men were silent for a time.

"Good!" ejaculated the captain at last in a particularly mild mannered and satisfied tone. "Unless I am greatly mistaken the 'make ready' signal is going up on the flagship."

"Aye, aye, sir," reported the grizzled old quartermaster. "There it is!"

"Clear ship for action!" bellowed the captain.

At these few words, passed on by the boatswain and his mates from deck to deck and from division to division to the preliminary overture of their shrill whistles, the men swarmed like working bees all over the huge fighting machine. The Rhode Island, in common with the rest of the fleet, was stripped down to her metal skin, ready to grapple with the foe. Down in her bowels the whole force of engineers and firemen were hard at it, the smoke belched from out the towering stacks in mighty volume, and the roar of steam escaping from the safety valves showed that even the boilers were a sharer in the general excitement of the situation.

"Sound general quarters!"

To the call of bugle and rattle of drum every single soul on board, even including Obadiah Todds, the worker on cloth and buttons, went to the particular station assigned them. Officers and men entered the big turrets, manned guns of the secondary battery, clambered up into the fighting tops or joined the powder division below decks. The engineers and firemen had their own special lines of effort to follow out. Not a single idleer could be found among the hundreds who composed the crew of the big fighting ship. Of what purely commercial or municipal institution could such a thing be said?

"Fast loose and provide!" exultantly cried the commander, for even such things as micrometer scales and cubes of smokeless powder have not been sufficient to destroy the ancient lust of battle when the breath of the enemy is in the air.

With this third and final order, before commencing action the crew stripped to the waist and went seriously to work. The huge shackles and clamps which hold the big masses of metal rigid in a seaway were thrown off and each gun duly loaded with the particular variety of ammunition for which it had an appetite. This latter folder was already being delivered from the magazines below by the prepping and blasphemous powder division.

Up in the armory in the coming tower of the Rhode Island sat Lieutenant Beresford, surrounded by speaking tubes, push buttons and various other more or less intricate signaling apparatus. With him sat Lieutenant Mortimer. Both men had ungloved fingers tightly clinched between their teeth, and the captain had removed his collar and necktie at the same time, curiously buttoning up his uniform coat.

"We ought to fetch in between these two biggest fellows," remarked the younger officer in a peculiarly sweet tone of voice. "The one on the starboard is just about our size, but the other ship looks rather larger."

"So she is," assented the skipper grimly. "According to reports, she must be a first class battleship, although they have nominally rated her as a second. She is one third again our tonnage and throws very nearly twice the weight of broadside metal."

"Did you notice that Todds, the master tailor, had put on his bullet proof coat?" observed Mortimer, with a broad grin.

"No," laughed Beresford. "Where is his station?"

"At one of the secondary gun tubs," replied Mortimer.

"He must be 'loony' on the subject," and the skipper. "It's the safest place on the whole ship."

While this little conversation was proceeding the commander never ceased watching his own deck, the other vessels and the enemy's fleet from the various sights and eyeholes of the conning tower. At frequent intervals he also had occasion to manipulate some one or other of his various instruments. "Ah, ha! They're opening up in regular order," he muttered as a puff of smoke followed by a very fair report came from the headmost of the enemy's ships.

A small black object hurtled across the water, cutting the top of the waves in its progress and sinking in a white smother of foam near at hand.

"Trying distance with their six inch rifles," ironically observed the youthful officer. "I should call it not much over two miles."

Both fleets were now rushing toward one another as fast as their mighty engines could take them, and the fighting soon became general. The main fighting line of each, composed of the battleships and heavier armored cruisers, moved forward in regular column of attack. Upon meeting they would pass between one another's intervals and exchange volleys from their huge broadside and turret rifles at murderously short range. The lighter craft of either side, such as unprotected cruisers and commerce destroyers, hovered upon the flanks, ready to participate in the easy victories of a rout or to engage in a duel with such of their own class as might offer.

"The big fellow is swinging his fore turret around to train on us," remarked Mortimer quietly.

With a roar like that of a lion when about to jump at his prey, Lieutenant Beresford slammed down hard on a lever and shouted a dozen orders through as many speaking tubes. Almost instantaneously the whole fabric quivered as the ship increased her already high rate of speed and fairly leaped ahead of her comrades.

"Are you ready there, Brownson?" called the captain through the tube that led to the forward main battery.

"Yes, sir," came back the reply. "But the vernier!"

"Is—n the vernier?" was shouted through the tube. "You don't need any finder at this range. Let them!" But the rest of his speech was lost in a roar as if a whole magazine had exploded; the ship reeled and staggered like a sore stricken man, and two cigars with their ends bitten off lay rolling from side to side, unmolested, upon the floor of the conning tower.

"A lucky shot indeed! They've spoiled the working of our main battery in great shape!" howled Beresford, with bloodshot eyes and lips foaming in rage. "Let her go, Brownson!" he yelled again.

Scarcely were the words well out of his mouth before the ship again reeled, only this time it was in recoil from her own discharge.

"Turn about is fair play, my bullies!" laughed Beresford discordantly. "That shot must have found its way somehow to her very vitals. Looks as if her machinery had suffered, the way her steam is blowing off."

In half a minute the action had become general. The reports from the mighty ten and twelve inch rifles, the concussion of which often bursts blood vessels in strong men's heads, were roaring and resounding upon every hand. The by no means insignificant secondary batteries served to fill in the gaps, and the crackle and rattle from the small arms were completely indistinguishable. Now were to be seen the full results of scientific warfare.

A huge battleship of the enemy blew up, scattering death and destruction among friend and foe alike within her compass, and one of the American armored cruisers went down beneath the concentrated fire of two black monsters, with her guns still being served and Old Glory floating defiantly at the masthead. The air was poisoned with the dust and fumes from the various chemical explosives, and the soot and smoke from the overworked boilers lay like a pall over the scene of carnage.

There was a slight lull after the fleets had so passed through one another and were rounding up, preparatory to repeating the maneuver.

But a single one of the surviving ships had come out of the first attack unscathed. Their superstructures were practically demolished, and great rents and gaping holes were visible everywhere. In unprotected surface and armor plating alike. Moreover, several of them were floating hulks with both engines and guns smashed out of all usefulness, piled knee deep with scum and horrors, and the few left alive upon them unable to do more than hope for the chance of rescue before they were swallowed up by the remorseless sea.

But there were still left a number of ships upon either side with the more important engines intact and many of their great guns capable even yet of surpassing their previous performance. These ships, reckless and ugly, with human blood pouring from their scuppers and madmen at their helms, were now heading down upon one another. Among those of them flying American colors was the Rhode Island.

"Great Caesar's ghost!" howled Lieutenant Beresford in wild desperation. "What's the use of fighting expensive battles with cheap stuff? Here we are just at the second wait and not a decent rifle on board. Those cursed cat-fangs in the carriages must have been full of air bubbles. Contract work! Light! What do we have dockyards and government machine shops for anyway? They'll save a few dollars and lose all before they flush! Morty, my boy," and his voice softened noticeably. "I'm going to ram that big fellow who knocked our rifles to pieces. He seems to be unmanageable and can hardly get away from us, but his guns are as bitter as ever. It's a case of

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We print in another column, the text
of a proposed bill and the comments on
the same, relating to compulsory medi-
cal inspection of schools of the state.
Some features of the proposed legisla-
tion seem quite desirable, but it should
be clearly borne in mind that theory
does not always agree with practice,
and from personal experience in health
work in this city, the editor of the
GRAPHIC is strongly inclined to conserva-
tism in this particular line.

In bringing to Boston, a sub-commit-
tee of the House committee on Public
Buildings and Grounds, in the face of
influential pulling and hauling of other
large cities, Congressman Weeks has
emphasized the extent of his personal
influence at Washington. From the
comments of the Congressional delega-
tion while here, Captain Weeks has
evidently made a name for himself in
the short time he has been in office.

The legislative committee has reported
favorably upon the proposed change
of the city charter, relating to proce-
dure in removal of city officials from
office. This matter is the outcome of the
Tarbox controversy of a year or more
ago, and relieves the mayor from the
incongruity of being compelled to act
as a prosecuting officer against his own
subordinates.

The scheme of a "Village Night"
upon which our Newton Centre friends
are now engaged is one which should
appeal to the other portions of the city.
A wider acquaintance with one's neigh-
bors and the needs of the city cannot
but benefit every citizen.

Congressional Visitation.

Congressman Weeks, who has been
much interested in a bill for a new cus-
tom house for Boston, succeeded in
bringing a sub-committee of the House
committee on Public Buildings and
Grounds, to Boston last week to make
a personal investigation of the existing
conditions.

The party arrived at Boston Satur-
day morning and were well entertained
by the representatives of the state, City
of Boston and the Merchants' associa-
tion. On Sunday they were shown places
of historic interest in the Hub, and the
state House and in the early afternoon,
took President Hancock's private electric
car for the Brae Burn Country
Club at West Newton, where Captain
Weeks gave them an informal lunch.
So many misleading stories have been
told of this affair that it seems only
right that the facts should be stated.

The party consisted of the Congress-
ional delegation, with Congressman
Roberts, Kellier, Weeks, ex-congress-
man Powers, Gov. Guild, Secretary
Cattell, Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston,
Vice President Noyes and Secretary
Morse of the Chamber of Commerce,
and Messrs J. L. Richards, W. M. Flan-
ders, J. Richard Carter, Geo. A. Frost,
Geo. H. Ellis, Seward W. Jones, Chas.
S. Dennison, G. F. Simpson and Mr.
Franklin of St. Louis. The dinner was
served at a large round table, adorned
with a simple but beautiful mound of
white flowers with bouquets of the
same placed at each place. The entire
affair was most informal, and while
there had been an unwritten agreement
that no speaking should be permitted, it
was broken by Congressman Miller who
rose to express the appreciation of the
honorable delegation, of the hospitality
which they had received. The Congress-
man was quite enthusiastic. Governor
Guild responded during his gratification
that they had been able to all work to-
gether, without regard to party lines.
After a little bantering, Mayor Fitz-
gerald, in a joking way then called up
on some of the visiting Congressmen
with whom he had served at Washing-
ton, and the responses were all given
in a particular fashion with many dig-
ress at the Mayor of a "better, baser and
bigger Boston." Mr. Powers' speech
brought the affair to a close about six
o'clock and the party wended its way to
Boston, loud in its praise of the plea-
sure of the afternoon and the hospital-
ity of Congressman Weeks.

Crosby's Restaurant, 19 School
street, Boston, is a good place to dine, if

Athletic Meet.

The third annual indoor meet of the
Y. M. C. A. Associations of Mass. and
Rhode Island was held at the local
gymnasium last evening and despite of
the storm, was exceedingly well at-
tended and interesting.

The climatic conditions hindered
quite a number of the contestants in
reaching the city but the events were
started on schedule time and well han-
dled.

Newton again won, repeating its per-
formance of last year, with a total of
17 1-3 points. Cambridge, with 14 1-3
Somerville with 7, Boston with 7, Fall
River with 6, Lowell with 5, Worcester
with 3, Brockton with 3 and Chelsea
with 1-3 followed in order.

The 20 yard dash, the first event had
a number of entries which necessitated
several trial heats. Newton succeeded
in getting three men into the finals, al-
tho Hanson failed to win a place.

Barber of Newton won the 3 broad
jumps with 33 ft 11 1-2 in.

The 600 yard run was against time,
two men running a pursuit race until
all had had a chance. The judges in an-
nouncing the time in this event first in-
formed the referee that Dixon's time
was 1:24 3-5 and he accordingly award-
ed the decision to Kennedy. Later the
judges found that they had all agreed
upon Dixon's time as 1:23 3-5, but the
referee refused to alter his decision.
Worcester may protest the event on
this account.

The high jump was closely contested,
three men tying for third place, the toss
of a coin giving the prize to Cox.

Gidney of Malden was given an op-
portunity to break the record of 5 ft 10
inches in this event but was only able
to reach 5 ft, 10 in.

But the audience was chiefly interest-
ed in the relay races. These were run
off in pursuit order, one team starting
from one side of the hall and its oppo-
nents from the other. The Worcester
and Cambridge race was hotly contested,
it being nip and tuck, especially with
the last two men, Worcester finally win-
ning by a bare margin. Fall River had
a comparatively easy time in winning
from Somerville by about a quarter lap.

The Newton-Boston race was almost
a walkover for the home team. Morton
opened up about a quarter lap on his
man, which Ward increased considerably.
Wharton succeeded in passing his
man and Gaw finished fully a lap ahead
of the Boston runner.

The winners were as follows:
Twenty-yard dash, handicap—Won by
W. Moore, Newton (3ft. 6in.); second,
F. Sumner, Boston (6in.); third, R.
Porter, Newton (3ft.). Time—2 3-5.

Three broad jumps, handicap—Won by
H. Barber, Newton (3ft.); second,
H. Cox, Cambridge (4ft. 6in.); third,
H. Kidder, Cambridge (4ft. 6in.). Dis-
tance 33ft. 11 1-2in.

Six hundred yard run, handicap—
Won by P. Kennedy, Fall River (25
yds.); second, R. Dixon, Worcester (2
yds.); third, H. D. Kidder, Cambridge
(3yds.). Time—1m. 24s.

Rope climb—Won by G. Pacetti,
Somerville (3s.); second, P. Morton,
Newton (1 3-4s.); third, H. Norton,
Somerville (3s.). Winner's time—4s.

Potato race—Won by C. Cox, Cam-
bridge (scratch); second, F. Sumner,
Boston (1yd.); third, T. Clark, Fall
River (1 1-2yds.). Winner's time—33s.

Putting 12-pound shot—First, G.
Corcoran, Cambridge (2ft. 11in.); second,
C. McManus, Newton (4ft.); third, W.
O'Kennard, Somerville (2ft.). Distance
—45ft. 3 1-2in.

High jump—Won by F. Barrows,
Lowell (6in.); second, O. Lind, Brock-
ton (6in.); third, C. Cox, Cambridge
(8in.). Distance—5ft. 11 1-4in.

The event and entries were as follows:
Twenty-yard dash, handicap—H. Beety,
Attleboro, 3 ft.; E. Sanford, Attleboro,
3 ft. 6 in.; F. O'Brien, Chelsea, 4 ft.;
A. B. Butler, Chelsea, 3 ft. 6 in.; W.
Nichols, Newton, 4 ft.; W. Moore,
Newton, 3 ft. 6 in.; C. Fielding, New-
ton, 3 ft.; Ed. Porter, Newton, 2 ft. 6
in.; P. Morton, Newton, 3 ft.; C. Bal-
ley, Newton, 2 ft.; K. Porter, Newton,
3 ft.; C. V. Moore, Newton, 4 ft.; J.
Gaw, Newton, 3 ft.; J. Ward, Newton,
2 ft.; William Wharton, Newton, 2 ft.;
William Hanson, Newton, 2 ft.; T.
Morton, Newton, 3 ft.; J. Storey, Bos-
ton, 2 ft.; W. Bartlett, Boston, 4 ft.; F.
Sumner, Boston, 1 1-2 ft.; H. Risigari,
Boston, scratch; O. Anger, Lynn, 2 ft.;
E. Garrett, Brockton, 4 ft.; W. McCar-
thy, Brockton, 3 ft. 6 in.; P. Williams,
Malden, 3 ft. 6 in.; J. Frederick, Wor-
cester, 3 ft. 6 in.; P. S. Kennedy, Fall
River, 3 ft. 6 in.; E. H. Hayden, Fall
River, 3 ft.; E. Steidle, Somerville, 3
ft. 6 in.

Six hundred yard run, handicap—H.
Beety, Attleboro, 20 yds.; E. Sanford,
Attleboro, 20 yds.; C. Fielding, New-
ton, 10 yds.; C. V. Moore, Newton,
scratch; William Wharton, Newton, 10
yds.; J. Ward, Newton, 10 yds.; F.
Paine, Boston, 28 yds.; William Boyd,
Lynn, 5 yds.; H. Kidder, Cambridge, 5
yds.; J. Leadbetter, Newton, 15 yds.;
F. Hammet, Malden, 25 yds.; E. Gar-
rett, Brockton, 25 yds.; W. Clapham,
Malden, 20 yds.; R. Dixon, Worcester,
2 yds.; C. Swan, Worcester, 15 yds.;
P. Kennedy, Fall River, 25 yds.; W.
Windlow, Fall River, 10 yds.; L. Hay-
den, Fall River, 5 yds.; J. Hemmings,
Worcester, 2 yds.

Rope climb, handicap—W. Moore,
1 3-4s.; H. Fraser, Newton, 2 2-5s.; L.
Widener, Newton, 1 3-5s.; P. Morton,
Newton, 1 3-5s.; W. Bartlett, Boston,
1 4-5s.; B. Solomon, Boston, scratch; T.
Russell, Boston, scratch; R. McNaughton,
Brockton, 1 4-5s.; F. Boyd, Brock-
ton, 1 4-5s.; William Lawson, Malden,
1 3-5s.; William Cross, Somerville, 1
4-5s.; A. Brinsley, Somerville, 3s.; G.
Pacetti, Somerville, 3s.; H. Norton,
Somerville, 3s.

Three standing jumps, handicap—F.
O'Brien, Chelsea, 4 ft.; C. Fielding,
Newton, 3 ft.; H. Fraser, Newton, 3 1-2
ft.; R. Porter, Newton, 4 1-2 ft.; W.
Wharton, Newton, 4 ft.; J. Storey,

Boston, 2 1-2 ft.; J. E. Allen, Boston, 8
in.; F. Sumner, Boston, 2 ft.; G. Neville,
Boston, 2 1-2 ft.; W. Bartlett, Boston, 3 1-2
ft.; H. Risigari, Boston, scratch; H.
Kidder, Cambridge, 4 1-2 ft.; C. Cox,
Cambridge, 4 1-2 ft.; H. Barber, Newton,
3 ft.; E. Steidle, Somerville, 4 1-2 ft.

High jump, handicap—H. Very, New-
ton, 2 in.; C. Wilson, Newton, 8 in.; L.
E. Allen, Boston, 2 in.; G. Neville, Bos-
ton, 1 in.; C. Cox, Cambridge, 8 in.; H.
Barber, Newton, 2 in.; E. Beare, Chel-
sea, 8 in.; C. Lind, Brockton, 6 in.; H.
Gilley, Malden, scratch; F. Barrows,
Lowell, 7 in.

Twelve-pound shot put, handicap—F.
O'Brien, Chelsea, 5 ft.; G. Potter, Chel-
sea, 4 ft.; H. Harvey, Chelsea, 1 ft.;
G. Lawlor, Chelsea, 6 ft.; H. Very,
Newton, scratch; L. Allen, Boston,
scratch; G. Corcoran, Cambridge, 2 1-2 ft.;
C. McManus, Newton, 4 ft.; E. Beare,
Chelsea, 4 ft.; W. O'Kennard, Somer-
ville, 2 ft.; E. Ver Wiebe, Somerville,
4 ft.; F. Barrows, Lowell, 3 ft.

Trials heats—Potato race, handicap—
C. Fielding, Newton, 7 yds.; D. Wel-
sh, Newton, 8 yds.; W. Connor,
Newton, 7 yds.; J. Ward, Newton, 6
yds.; J. Storey, Boston, 2 yds.; L. Ru-
nney, Boston, 1 yd.; W. Bartlett, Bos-
ton, 5 yds.; F. Sumner, Boston, 1 yd.;
V. S. Jacobs, Boston, 5 yds.; G. Hol-
man, Cambridge, 6 yds.; C. Cox, Cam-
bridge, scratch; J. Leadbetter, Newton,
5 yds.; F. Maguire, Newton, 8 yds.; J.
McCarthy, Brockton, 6 yds.; P. Wil-
kins, Malden, scratch; W. Lawson, Mal-
den, 6 yds.; A. Lees, Malden, 3 yds.;
J. Storey, Worcester, 7 yds.; T. Clarke,
Fall River, 1 1-2 yds.; W. Windlow, Fall
River, 2 yds.; H. Robinson, Somerville,
4 yds.; A. Sullivan, Somerville, 4 yds.;
W. Freeman, Somerville, 5 yds.; L.
Drake, Somerville, 5 yds.; F. Barrows,
Lowell, 10 yds.

Relay race—Fall River vs. Somer-
ville.

Relay race—Cambridge vs. Worces-
ter.

Trials in potato race.

Relay race—Boston vs. Newton.

The officials: Referee Herbert Hol-
ton; starter J. McGrath; clerks of
course, Dr. Garland and L. F. LaRose;
timers, W. Chase, J. Dexter, A. H.
Watt, A. Porter and L. Thompson;
judges, W. C. Towne, A. Hale, R. Rich-
ards, J. Coady, W. B. Cotting, G. H.
Daniels and L. Bennett; scorer, P.
Bradley; announcer, J. McDonald;
marshal, J. Gifford.

Among Women

Madame Martinez will give a lecture
with musical illustrations of folk and
operatic songs in the parlors of the
Unitarian church, West Newton, Wed-
nesday evening, March 28, under the
auspices of the West Newton Women's
Educational Club.

The Waban Women's Club met with
Mrs. George Angier on Monday,
March 12, with the president, Mrs. J.
H. Pillsbury, in the chair. Mrs. Mary
Lincoln gave a most practical talk
upon "Reciprocal Duties of Hostess
and Guest." "Hospitality," she said, "is
entertainment with kindness and with-
out reward. As the etiquette of today
is not the etiquette of yesterday, a care-
ful study of present day social laws and
obligations to such social laws saves
many wounds to love." To the Hostess
such good advice as this, to entertain
agreeably, entertain often, practice
makes perfect. True hospitality is the
happy medium between too much at-
tention and too little. For the Guest, an
agreeable guest will be blind and deaf
to any unpleasantness and dumb as re-
gards such occurrences always. If every
one should see to his and her own re-
formation, how easy to reform a nation!

The next meeting on March 26 will
be a Cranford Tea, with readings from
Cranford illustrated by music and liv-
ing pictures in costume and as English
a tea as the hostess, Mrs. Frederick
Putnam, herself an Englishwoman, can
arrange it. Miss Adele Jones of Jama-
ica Plain will be the violinist.

The Federation Bazaar opened auspiciously
on Wednesday evening. The
decorations are as artistic as was prom-
ised and the articles displayed for sale
are attractive. The arrangement of the
booths behind arched lattice work in
green over which are vines of flowers
apparently growing is very effective
against the brick wall background. The
large number in attendance enjoyed the
Greek Rhythmic Dance and the music.
On Thursday evening the entertainment
was under the auspices of the Chromatic
Club of Boston.

This Friday evening the entertain-
ment will be a vaudeville in charge of
the Women's Educational and Indus-
trial Union. A one-act farce will be given.
Mrs. John Carter of Newtonville is
in the cast.

A Coaching Parade in the Main hall
will be the feature of the Children's af-
ternoon, Saturday. Prizes will be given
to the most attractive entries in the
parade which will be under the direc-
tion of Mrs. Charles H. Montague of
Cambridge. From 3.30 to 4.30 an en-
tertainment for children will be pro-
vided from Keith's.

The doll table is particularly interest-
ing and the exhibit of ancient and his-
toric dolls is worth seeing and no one
should fail to visit the picture gallery.

The last meeting of the Pierian
Club was held with Mrs. S. A. Thomp-
son, Newton Highlands. The papers for
the afternoon were Japanese Folk Lore,
and a Folk Lore Story, by Mrs. Ryder,
Japanese Philosophy, Mrs. Child, The
Modern Craze, Mrs. Dresser.

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Newton.

—Miss Catherine Joyce of Thornton
street is visiting friends in Holyoke.

—Mrs. Henry E. Cobb is recovering
from a surgical operation performed last
Wednesday.

—Mr. Dudley Warner Fitch, organist
of Grace church, will give brief organ
recitals after the evening services dur-
ing Lent.

—Mrs. John K. Taylor of Waverley
avenue gave a pretty afternoon whist
and luncheon at the Newton Club on
Wednesday.

—Hon. Samuel L. Powers is one of
the special guests invited to Speaker
Cannon's dinner party in Washington
tomorrow night.

—Mrs. May Goodall Darrow will be
pleased to receive visitors at the clos-
ing session of her gymnastic classes on
Saturday, March 17th, at 10 A. M.

—The Newton Monday Evening Club
will meet Monday evening at the resi-
dence of Prof. George F. Jewett on
Bellevue street. Mr. Mitchell Wing will
be the essayist.

—At the exhibition of the school of
the Museum of Fine Arts to be held
Monday at the Boston Art Club the
pupils in art at the Mount Ida School
will be among the exhibitors.

—Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson will give
the second in the series of the Lenten
sermons on, "Our Faith," at Channing
church next Sunday morning. The
special theme will be, "The Brother-
hood of Man."

—The monthly sociable was held at
the Immanuel Baptist church Wednes-
day evening. Mrs. W. S. Hayden and
a committee were in charge of the sup-
per and a musical entertainment fol-
lowed given by the Y. M. C. A. glee
club.

—The mid-week Lenten service of
Channing church, was held on Wednes-
day afternoon at 4 o'clock. Subject:
"The Lesson of the Temptation in the
Wilderness." Mr. Harrison, organist,
and Mr. Robert C. Whitten, soloist.
The public are most cordially invited.

—The next in the series of vesp-
er services was held at Channing church
Sunday afternoon. Mr. Henry T. Wade
gave an organ recital and the chorus
was assisted in the musical program by
Mr. William F. Dodge, violin; Miss
Mabel L. Feltner, soprano, and Edna
A. Franklin, flute. A. H. Handley, di-
rector. A short address was made by
Rev. Mr. Hudson.

—A number of relatives and friends
of the late Wallace T. Grow gathered
in the chapel of the Unitarian church
Saturday afternoon when the last rites
were performed over the body of the
deceased. Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson,
pastor of the church, officiated and the
service consisted of prayer, scripture
reading and a brief eulogy. The re-
mains were taken to Mt. Auburn for
cremation.

—Miss Hobart gave an attractive tea
at her home on Sargent street on
Thursday afternoon, in honor of her
sister Mrs. Gordon Weld Stearns, and
Mrs. Francis Prescott. Those who as-
sisted were Mrs. Gorton, and Mrs. Fos-
ter Stearns both of Cambridge, and
Mrs. Herbert Hatch, Miss Edmunds,
Miss Emily Stearns, Miss Henry and
Miss Crosby of Newton.

—One of the prettiest social affairs of
the season was the reception and party
given by Miss Hayward to her dancing
class in the hall of the Immanuel Club
Monday evening. The various modern
dances were given as well as the Ger-
man and Minuet, the graceful deport-
ment and excellent work of the pupils
showing careful instruction. The ma-
trons were Mrs. Synder, Mrs. Far-
quhar, Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Underwood.

—The third in the series of organ
recitals was given by Mr. Everett E.
Truette in Eliot church last evening.
There was a representative audience
and selections were given from the
compositions of Merkel, Wetton, Bos-
si, Klein, also the Nuptial Mass by
Dubois and Wallings' three tone poems
"The Death and Resurrection of
Christ." Next Thursday evening Mr.
Allen W. Seaman, organist of the First
Unitarian church, New Bedford, will
give the fourth recital.

—The remains of Mr. Chester M.
Thwing, formerly a resident on Water-
town street, who died in Los Angeles,
California, Feb. 14th reached Newton
on Tuesday. Rev. Dr. Charles H. Day
of the Watertown Baptist church was
in charge of the committal service at
the grave in Newton Cemetery Wed-
nesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr.
Thwing was a retired sea captain and
during the Civil War was an officer in
the navy. He was a native of Union,
Me., where he was born 68 years ago.
Two sons and one daughter survive
him.

Clubs and Lodges

A lodge whist will be given by New-
ton Lodge 92 I. O. O. F. March 22d.
All Old Fellows invited.

Boynton Lodge No. 20 U. O. of I.
O. L. celebrated their 16th Anniversary
Tuesday afternoon and evening in Den-
nison hall. After the regular business
meeting of the lodge the Good of the
Order program consisted of remarks by
Supreme Past Lady Sister Boynton for
whom the lodge is named, also by the
Right Worthy Instructor Sister Jones,
and Right Worthy Lady Governor Sis-
ter Andrews. Then came the Anniver-
sary Poem by Past Sen. Rep. sister
May E. Clark, which was written by
her and recited by her, piano solos
by Sister Moore of Friendship Lodge,
and remarks by other government offi-
cers. Supper was served from 6 to 7.30
P. M. Whist was enjoyed from 8 to 10
P. M. and dancing from 10 to 12 P. M.
Visitors were present in the afternoon
from Home Lodge and Crescent Lodge,
Waltham, Ambassadors and Naomi,
Hyde Park, Good Will, Worcester,
Unity, Somerville, Friendship, Char-
lestown, Hamlin, Boston and Star. N. H.
Sister Buck was in charge of the sup-
per. Sister Nellie Cook director of the
side table and Sen. Rep. sister Harriet
Young chairman for the whist and
dancing.

FIRE.

The alarm last evening from box 23 was
for a fire in the residence of Lester Cus-
hing on Court street. The cause was a de-
fective chimney and the damage is esti-
mated at \$3,000.

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Street Railway Notes.

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running last evening and barring a few
minutes delay, managed to keep nearly
on schedule time.

Accident.

Charles H. Dolan, an employee of the
city, while working on the trees on Mill
street Newtonville on Tuesday morn-
ing, destroying moth nests, lost his hold
on a tall tree and fell some forty feet
to the ground. His skull was fractured
and he is at the Newton Hospital in a
serious condition.

Waban.

—Mrs. Wm. H. Buffum of Beacon
street.

—Thursday the Luncheon Whist
Club met with Mrs. A. C. Burnett,
Beacon street.

—Mr. Alfred Turner and family have
recently moved into the L. P. Flint
house on Windsor road.

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recently moved into the L. P. Flint
house on Windsor road.

—Mrs. C. L. Hovey of Plainfield
street was the hostess at an enjoyable
bridge whist party on Wednesday af-
ternoon.

—Mrs. Wm. H. Buffum of Beacon
street will undergo an operation for ap-
pendicitis at the Vincent Hospital, Bos-
ton, today.

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—Two of Mr. W. P. Brown's children
are ill with the measles, and the two
daughters of Mr. H. R. Lane are con-
fined to the house with the mumps.

—Last Thursday the old Improve-
ment Society which has been sleeping
for ten years, awoke. At a well attended
meeting held in Waban Hall, 23 new
members joined and a new board of
officers were elected.

—Mr. Milton Pope, of the Iceland
Powers School of the Spoken Word,
gave a Dramatic Rendering of Booth
Tarkington's "Monsieur Beaucaire" at
the Waban school, last Saturday evening
March 10th, before a delighted audi-
ence of pupils and friends of the
school. Mr. Pope entered so thoroughly
into the spirit of the story and inter-
preted so faithfully each character that
the reading was as greatly enjoyed by those
who had never read the story
as by those who were familiar with it,
and while the portrayal of all the char-
acters was most excellent, that of Mon-
sieur Beaucaire seemed to some es-
pecially fine, although in the opinion of
many in the audience, the entire read-
ing was faultless. Mr. Pope is certainly
an artist and has a bright future before
him. On Saturday evening next the boys
of the school will give a play entitled
"Prof. Baxter's Great Invention," at
Waban Hall for the benefit of the Ath-
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Newtonville.

—Hon. John A. Fenn of Walnut street has returned from a trip to New York.

—Mrs. William B. Lincoln is reported ill this week at her home on Lowell avenue.

—Word was received this past week from Mr. Joseph Byers who is in Pasadena, Cal.

—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Washington street, Newtonville. Tel. Newton 112-3.

—Mr. and Mrs. Seth B. Snow of Mt. Vernon terrace will make their future home on Walnut place.

—Mr. Robert J. McAdoo is confined to his home on Kensington street the result of injuries to his back.

—At the Universalist church tomorrow, Rev. Albert Hammett will discourse on "A Modern Miracle."

—Mr. Walter H. Pulsifer of Waltham, Pa., has been a recent guest of his parents on Newtonville avenue.

—The Boston District Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will hold an all day session in the Methodist church next Thursday.

—Mr. Albert A. Savage of Brooks avenue is recovering from his recent severe illness and is able to be at his office a part of each day.

—At a business meeting of the Massachusetts Bible Society held recently in Boston Rev. Charles M. Southgate was elected superintendent.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Avery of Crafts street left Thursday for New York. Mrs. Avery and Miss Helen Avery will go further south.

—Rev. Dr. Charles F. Brant and family are returning from Cambridge and will make their home in the Clark house on Mount Vernon terrace.

—An alarm from box 23 last Friday was for a fire in F. J. Read's automobile station. The cause was spontaneous combustion and there was no damage.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church is planning having kneeling benches placed in the church. It is expected they will be ready by Easter.

—Mr. Ernest N. Boyden of Edinboro street is the architect for the six story addition to be built to the Waitt & Bond building on Endicott street, Boston.

—Miss Margaret Slattery of the State Normal School, Fitchburg, will give an address on Sunday School Work at Central church next Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

—Miss Lillian H. Haynes of Washington park was in Framingham one evening last week where she was the soloist at the annual musical given by the Woman's Club.

—Mr. Harry A. Vose has been appointed assistant custodian of the Boston Post Office building. He secured the position through a competitive Civil Service examination.

—The Wesley Club will observe "Open Night," at the Methodist church Monday evening, Rev. A. L. Spitzer will give an illustrated lecture on the South. The annual banquet will probably be held Thursday evening, March 29th.

—There was a large attendance at the Vesper service at Central church last Sunday afternoon. There were two organ numbers from Mendelssohn's First Organ Sonata and the quartette selections were from Mendelssohn's Oratorio.

—Mr. George R. Burnap of Nevada street has taken a position in the choir of the Ruggles street church, Boston.

—Prof. John Duxbury gave a recital of selected readings before a large and appreciative audience at Central church last Monday evening. The selections were quite varied and were both humorous and serious.

—At St. John's church this afternoon Rev. R. T. Loring will continue his Lenten addresses on "Side Lights on Hard Sayings from the Prayer Book." The special theme will be "There is no Health in us." On Sunday afternoon at 4:30 there will be confirmation by Bishop Lawrence. Next Wednesday evening the speaker will be Rev. Clifford Grey Twombly of Newton Highlands.

Newtonville.

—Otto Coke, 10c bags. At grocers.

—Mr. Harry Hickox announces a private course in shorthand. Terms \$4 per month, two lessons weekly. Address The Marion, Newton.

—Mrs. M. B. Wallace gave an address on "The Nile Country, Abyssinia and North Africa" at the meeting of the Foreign Missionary Society at Central church last Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. Albert E. Leach, chemist of the Mass. state board of health, is delivering a course of lectures before the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, N. Y., of which former Supt. of Schools Fred W. Atkinson is president.

—At the next meeting of the Universalist Men's Club to be held the first Monday evening in April, an illustrated lecture will be given by the Rev. Albert L. Squier, to which the members are privileged to invite their lady friends.

—The many friends of Mr. Frank P. Dow, who has been a faithful and popular clerk at Dyer's market for the past 13 years will be interested to know that he has resigned and will become a reserve man on the Newton police force.

—Rev. Arthur St. James gave an interesting lecture in the interest of home missions at the Methodist church last evening. He comes from Montreal and described the mission work being done largely among the French Canadians.

—Mrs. F. A. Waterhouse entertained the Young People's League at her home on Highland avenue last Sunday evening. Those taking part in the program were the Misses Waterhouse and Hussey and Messrs R. B. Carter and F. A. Waterhouse.

—The next meeting of the Every Saturday club will be held March 17th with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace C. Boyden on Walnut street. A consideration of the Greek Drama will be the subject of the special play being "The Frogs," by Aristophanes.

—For the remainder of the year the Bible Class connected with the New Church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. H. Carter, 161 Highland avenue. The different portions of the Bible will be studied under the direction of competent leaders.

—Arrangements are being made for a concert to be given in the Methodist church next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The talent consists of Mr. Ray Finkel, tenor soloist; Mr. Charles Tupper, violinist; Mr. John Harris, organist, and others.

—Miss Bertha Alice Lockhart of Highland avenue and Mr. James Neal Grace of Boston were married in Marshfield, Wednesday, March 7. Rev. B. L. Duckwall was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Grace is engaged in the restaurant business in Roxbury.

—Mr. Carl Gordon Cutler has an exhibition of 29 landscape paintings in the Williams & Everett galleries this week. They are mostly beautiful Marsh land scenes representing his last summer's work on Cape Cod and with all the bright, varied, specially selected and also several showing tide views and inland scenes of trees reflected in the ponds and beautiful wood interiors.

—The special features that distinguished the supper and social held last week at the Universalist parish house were the exceptionally large attendance; the bright, varied, specially selected entertainment; and the presentation to the treasurer, Mr. Frank W. Wise by a representative of the Mission Circle, and by Mrs. W. F. Kimball for generous amounts to assist in promoting parish and missionary work. It was one of the best socials ever held by this church.

—The Sunday evening service at the Methodist Episcopal Church during the next few weeks will be of much interest. The pastor will continue his series of sermons on "The Light of Yesterday on the Path of Today." Sunday evening the topic will be "If the Devil Will Pay More?" Mr. Leon Van Vleet, the noted cellist of Boston, will play three selections at this service as follows: Andante from A Minor Concerto, Goldmann. Nearer My God to Thee, Tellam. Berceuse from "Jocelyn," Godard.

West Newton.

—Mr. James McKissock of Sewall street is able to be out after a few week's illness.

—Joseph, son of Mrs. Edward Gately of River street is seriously ill with pneumonia.

—Mrs. Henry W. Crafts is recovering from a surgical operation at the Newton hospital.

—Mr. Stillman Rand of Bolton has been in town this week the guest of relatives and friends.

—Mr. J. W. Blanchard of Temple street is reported much improved after a quite severe illness.

—Mr. M. E. Beardsley of Crescent street returned last week from a business trip to Nova Scotia.

—Mr. Homer H. Tilton of Greenwood avenue returns this week from a business trip through the south.

—Mr. William E. Leonard of Waltham street will move soon to his future home on Wiswell street.

—Miss Una McKewon of the Danville Health Resort has been a recent guest of Dr. N. Louise Rand of Austin street.

—Mr. H. D. Wiggins, who recently purchased the new Leland house on Hillside avenue, has moved in with his family.

—Helen, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Hartell Jr. of Regent street is quite ill, threatened with appendicitis.

—Mr. Andrew S. Woods of Balcarras road is president and treasurer of the recently incorporated Old Colony Press of Boston.

—Good progress is being made on Mr. J. C. Burroughs' new house on Fairfax street and it will be ready for occupancy in a few days.

—Miss Eliza Allen was among the passengers returning Monday on the Admiral Dewey of the United Fruit Company's line from Jamaica.

—Hon. John W. Weeks has made a gift of \$15,000 to the town of Lancaster, N. H., for a memorial library to his father the late William D. Weeks.

—The many friends here of Mr. Arthur P. Luke will be interested to learn that he has been elected a member of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange.

—Louise, daughter of Mr. F. J. Fessenden of Albemarle road is recovering from an operation for appendicitis and has returned from the Newton hospital.

—Mr. Joseph N. Lovell of Otis street who is connected with the banking house of Towle & Fitzgerald in Boston has bought a seat on the Chicago stock exchange.

—There was a large attendance at the food sale held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. in the Eddy block on Washington street Saturday and a good sum was realized.

—In the Unitarian church parlors this evening a social gathering of the parish will be held. The entertainment will be provided by the Tech Glee, Mandolin and Banjo Clubs.

—Mr. John T. Prince of Temple street, and a member of the state board of education, will be in Danvers Thursday where he was among the speakers at the teachers institute.

—The Old Folk's Concert at the Baptist church Wednesday evening drew out a good sized audience. Many of the costumes were unique and the program was greatly enjoyed by all.

—A letter was received by friends here this week from Mrs. Julian C. Jones, daughter of Mrs. Davis, who is on from the west visiting him. His son Mr. Robert Barbour of Pittsfield was also in town for a brief visit with his parents.

—The West Newton Women's Alliance met Thursday morning in the parlors of the Unitarian church. The subject considered was "Paul's Last Journey." Immediately after the meeting a food sale was held for the Alliance fund.

—Mr. Alfred L. Barbour of Perkins street is much improved after a severe illness. His daughter Mrs. Davis is on from the west visiting him. His son Mr. Robert Barbour of Pittsfield was also in town for a brief visit with his parents.

—The game of basket ball between the Allen school team and the Water-town high team in the Allen gymnasium last week was one of considerable interest. The home team was a winner the score being 34 to 19. On Saturday the team was defeated by the Wellesley high by a score of 24 to 19.

—Mr. John Christopher Murphy, a well known resident of this place and a gardener by occupation died at the home of his aunt Mrs. Bridget Kilroy on Mague avenue last Saturday of Consumption aged 39 years. High mass was celebrated from St. Bernard's church Monday morning at 9 o'clock and the interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Waltham.

—Rev. Edwin F. Snell will continue his series of Lenten sermons at the Lincoln Park Baptist church Sunday evening on "Teachings of the Lord's Prayer." His subject will be, "Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will be Done."

—An interesting and well attended social meeting of the ladies of the parish was held Monday afternoon in the Congregational church. The entertainment consisted of readings and tea served at 4 o'clock.

—The many friends of Miss Josephine Frances Colegrove, gave her a very pleasant surprise last Friday evening. Miss Colegrove was invited to a friends to supper and to spend the evening. About eight o'clock, a messenger arrived at the friends house and said she was wanted at home. Upon arriving the young lady found the house swarming with her friends from different villages of Newton as well as Cambridge and Brookline. Games were played and singing and dancing enjoyed until well into the morning hours.

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West Newton.

—The Misses Jackson entertained the local branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at their home on Crafts street last Monday evening.

—Mrs. L. A. Kingman of Brockton received congratulations at the home of her daughter Mrs. W. A. Clark, 27 Eddy street last Monday, the occasion being her eighty-sixth birthday. Friends were present from Somerville, Boston, Cambridge, Brockton, Waltham and Newton. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

—In the Unitarian church parlors Friday evening a pretty Japanese comedy entitled, "The Revenge of Shari-ko," was presented. The scenery used in the two acts was most attractive and with the native costumes gave an excellent idea of life in Japan. The principal character parts were taken by the Misses Ethel Howland, Helen Freeman, Marjorie Davis, Carolyn Burrage and Messrs Fred Freeman and Thomas.

—A social meeting of the ladies of the congregation was held at the Second Church Monday afternoon. An original play in three acts was read by one of the ladies, entitled, "A Modern Miracle." A short story of the life of Harriet Conant Norton, who has gone to Antab, Turkey, to engage in missionary work, was given. It was voted to assume her salary. Miss Norton was a successful teacher in the line of advancement but sacrificed her prospects to take up this work.

City Hall Notes.

Considerable excitement was caused in the City Clerk's office Wednesday, when a lady was taken suddenly ill.

The Board of Health has taken preliminary action towards the selection of Mr. Dana Libbey of the Street Department, to be Agent of the board after May 1st.

An interesting meeting of the aldermen is expected next Monday.

Death of John F. McSherry.

—Mr. John F. McSherry, son of the late Bernard McSherry and a native of Newton, died at his home on Church street Saturday, after a short illness, aged 53 years. As a young man he was in the employ of Scates and Ricker and George W. Bush and later for Mr. William E. Field. For the past ten years he had been in the local express business. Deceased was a member of Middlesex Court, M. C. O. F. and had been a ward officer for several years holding the position of inspector. A widow and three sisters survive him.

Requiem mass was celebrated at the Church of Our Lady Monday at 9 and the interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Waltham. The bearers were Messrs Thomas F. Delaney, Jonathan F. Harrigan, Michael M. Rooney and James H. Flanagan representing the M. C. O. F. and the Messrs. Mogan of Waltham, two nephews of the deceased, representing the family. There were numerous floral tributes among them being a pillow from Middlesex Court, a standing crescent from the men in the Murray shop and a wreath from the ward officers.

Hunnewell Club

Winners at the Saturday night whist were C. H. Russell and Joseph Smith, J. F. Brown and C. H. Douglas.

At ladies' evening whist on Tuesday evening, which was in charge of Mrs. W. H. Short and Mrs. E. P. Tuttle, the winners were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tingley and Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Loveland.

The bowling team captured two out of three from Allston Golf in the Boston pin tournament on Wednesday night. The games were all close and ordinary scores were made, Tucker with 302 being high man.

A vaudeville performance will be given next Thursday night, with the famous Floyd's as entertainers.

Unitarian Club.

In Channing Church parlors last evening the monthly meeting of the Unitarian club was held. There was a good number, notwithstanding the storm, and supper was served at 6:45 in the banquet hall by the Women's Alliance.

Later Prof. Marshall L. Perrin of Boston University gave an interesting address on "Life Among the Indians of the Northwest." The speaker gave an account of a several months' sojourn with the Indians, while recovering from injuries received during his work with the United States fish commission, and he described their manners and customs, their method of hunting and cooking and their idea of the religious life here and hereafter. The keynote of the address was the speaker's impression that the Indian is like a child in mental development and must be treated as such both in business and in daily life. The musical program consisted of a group of songs by Mrs. Eleanor Fox Allen, soprano, and Mr. Frank E. Allen, basso.

The Mayflower Compact.

During examination in American history in one of our big city schools the question was put, "What was the Mayflower compact?" This is the thoroughly logical reply of one good little American:

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The Sea Otter.

The sea otter combines the habits of a seal with the intelligence and amusing character of the otter. When met in herds far out at sea, which is but seldom now, they are commonly seen swimming on their backs. They even eat their food lying in this position on the water, and nurse their young ones on their chests between their paws, exactly as a south sea island mother swims with her baby in the water. When swimming in this attitude they even shade their eyes with their paws when the sun dazzles them.

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PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss. To all persons who are or may become interested in the estate hereinafter mentioned, held in trust under the will of Joseph W. Plimpton, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and to all persons whose issue or now in being may become so interested: WHEREAS, a Stuart Pratt and Frederick J. Randlett, trustees under said will, have presented to said Court their petition praying that they may be authorized to sell, either at public or private sale, certain real estate held by them as such trustees situated in Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and particularly described in said petition, for the reasons therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

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PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Howard Williams, late of Newton, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to William C. Jenkins of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate not already administered of Alvin S. Lamb, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss. To Johanna Kelly, wife of Thomas Kelly of Waltham, in said County of Middlesex:

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court by Edward Y. Kelly alleging that said Thomas Kelly has become incapacitated by reason of advanced age and mental weakness to properly care for his property, and praying that Nathan A. Tufts of Waltham in the County of Middlesex, or some other suitable person, may be appointed conservator of his property, agreeably to the law in such case made, and by leaving upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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W. E. ROGERS, Register.



At the meeting of the Monday Club of Newton Highlands this week papers upon "The Palaces and Churches of Venice" and "The Artists and the Academy" were given by members. Next week there will be a talk by Miss Allen of Bradford Academy.

Mrs. Warren F. Gregory of Newtonville opened her beautiful home on Saturday afternoon for a tea in aid of the Newton Federation table at the State Federation Bazaar. The guests were received by Mrs. Gregory and Mrs. C. G. Wetherbee, president of the Newton Federation. The fitting motto was "The Social Committee of the Federation, assisted by ladies from the various clubs. A delightful feature of the afternoon was the music furnished by the Beacon Trio, violin, cornet and piano, under the leadership of Miss Titus of Somerville.

The regular meeting of the West Newton Women's Educational Club was held on March 9. Miss Henrietta I. Goodrich, secretary of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union of Boston, spoke of "A Practical Experiment in Industrial Sociology." The Union is a sort of experimental station where various plans are tried for the betterment of social conditions with the hope that if they prove feasible they may be carried out elsewhere on a larger scale. At the lunch room about a thousand are fed daily. The employees have an eight-hour day. They have also a self-government association, lunch room and rest rooms. In the food saloon, which the Union carries on, the aim is to teach the consumers higher standards of work and business methods. Miss Goodrich told of the experiment of sending out hot dinners which has been fairly successful, but the great difficulty seems to be in securing satisfactory retainers. Among other enterprises are the Business Agency, Domestic Reform League, Room Registry, Handwork Department, many classes to which persons are admitted upon payment of a small fee, and School Gardens. The financial side is always a problem and Miss Goodrich urged the joining of the Union for though there is profit in many departments there is much expense which can be met in no other way. The talk was full of interest and it was a pity that owing to the storm a larger number could not have heard it.

At the next meeting on March 23 Rev. Charles A. Reese will give a lecture upon "Abraham Lincoln, Statesman and Yeoman." There will be a cake and candy sale after the meeting, in charge of Mrs. Emma F. Lamond.

The following is an outline of the address at the 27th annual meeting of the Suffolk Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions, First Church, Cambridge, Mass., Tuesday March 6th, delivered by Rev. E. M. Noyes, of Newton, a member of the Prudential Committee of the American Board:

The first chapter of Genesis states the fundamental law of biology, describing herb and tree, "whose seed was in itself, after his kind." The first law of nature, not self-protection but self-perpetuation. All plans exist primarily for the sake of the seed. We develop the human pulp that surrounds the plum, cherry, etc., but nature provided these to attract birds and animals that seed might be widely scattered. The energy of the stalk of wheat, with the ingenious provision for protection and sustenance of the germ, is all designed for the reproduction of the parent life in abundant measure. In the lower animals the chief function of each generation is the reproduction of the new race. The mud-wasp finds a caterpillar, stings it so as to benumb and not kill it, builds a cell of mud about it, lays her eggs within it so that the grub may feed upon the provision thus supplied, and having thus made provision for the protection and food of her offspring, the wasp dies. And in due time the grub comes forth to become in turn a wasp and go through the same cycle. The bee dies in producing the new generation. Man is no exception to the general law. The chief business of any generation is to provide for the protection and culture and development of those that follow them.

This fundamental law is true of all life. It holds in the biology of the physical life as well as in that of the mental. The primary function of every one who receives the gift of life from Jesus Christ is to pass on that gift to others. And if the Christian Church is a living organism it must be a missionary church. When it ceases to be such, death has begun. Mission does not need any argument. They are a necessity to the life of the Church. It is for the producing of the life of Christ among men, as far and as widely as possible that the Church exists.

Paul illustrates this law. He must have been a puzzle to the worldly men of his generation. Why should a young man with every advantage deliberately sacrifice all his ambitions and become an apostle of a despised religion? For this reason a common opinion. Much learning had made this mad? Paul answers a similar question of certain Corinthians: "For whether we live or die, we are of God's. For the love of Christ constraineth us." This compelling law left him no choice. "Because we thus judge, that one died for all, therefore all died." When a man has been on the cross and taken in its meaning, he dies there and there to the old life. That love of Christ around and around, and accidented such as that Paul was held to the cross of an apostle. This is the normal effect of the Cross.

If this were a sporadic case, it might be explained by fanaticism and temperamental tendencies. But men of all types left the same compulsion of love. It was confined to one age, it might be explained as a singular wave of religious enthusiasm. But the centuries have produced Pauls in every age. This commercial day of exception.

Take the missionaries of my own Church, for example, Dr. and Mrs. Ous Cary, of Japan. Education, culture, ability, opportunity for advancement in this land, with exceptional

ability—all were theirs. Why should they bury themselves in Japan, and be separated from friends, and not see their boys, now at college, for ten years? Their combined salary is \$1000. Why do they do it? Their answer would be Paul's. Here is Dr. Zumbro, President of Pasmalai College, now in this country, addressing missionary rallies. A scholar who administers an institution with over 900 students, an eloquent speaker, and a man of many-sided ability. His salary is the meager sum of \$450 a year! Why does he throw his life away in that fashion? His answer would be that of Paul. Think of the thousands that have followed the haystack pioneers. They have gone out from our best homes, the flower of our Christian culture, representing the highest achievements of our educational forces. And they have gone because they felt the compulsion of that law of Christ-like love.

Shall they be alone in this enriching experience? Is not the love of Christ equally imperative in its compulsion upon us all? If we are not privileged to stand by their sides at the front, we shall certainly have the right to share in their work by our prayers and our sustaining gifts. No wonder that our universities are beginning to establish professorships of missions, and that a great church like Dr. Campbell Morgan's votes to give one tenth of its income and one Sunday a month to the work of foreign evangelization.

Never was there such a compelling power in the motive of love as now. Love rejoices in its opportunity. I heard Dr. J. D. Davis describe the changes in Japan during his missionary lifetime of 34 years. It is a marvelous transformation. But he declared his conviction that China would make even greater strides within the next twenty-five years, and that if he were a young man he would put his life into China. Every mission station of the Board is appealing for larger grants to enable them to enter promising doors. And we are compelled to meet their requests with a reduction instead of an advance. Think how a missionary must feel who has labored for ten years to prepare the harvest, and sees it ripening before him, when he receives word that he cannot be given the force to gather it, and must let it go to ruin before his eyes. One of our missionaries in Madura wrote the other day that 430 had been added to the Christ in a community within a year, and half as many more were ready for baptism. But now the "cut" in his appropriation would compel him to close out stations and dismiss native helpers, just as they were beginning to gather in the fruits of years of toil. It is hard to reward faithful work in this fashion.

"If any man have not the spirit of Christ, he is none of His." And the spirit of Christ is the spirit of self-sacrificing love. We who sit in our comfortable homes, enjoying the good gifts of God, are not condemned for grievous offenses against morality. But the danger is that our condemnation be that of ancient Israel as pronounced by Amos, that while we are at ease in Zion we "are not grieved for the affliction of Joseph." We cannot forget those solemn words of the Master wherein those are condemned who failed to show forth His love unto the least of these His brethren.

On March 14 the Social Science Club held its first regular meeting of the new year with the new president, Mrs. F. H. Tucker, in the chair. After a business session at which the committee for the ensuing year were announced, Mrs. W. H. Blodgett gave a careful and sympathetic presentation of "The Life and Works of John Ruskin." Mrs. Blodgett showed how greatly his later life was influenced by birth and environment, and traced his life history to his death. At twenty-four Ruskin published the first volume of "Modern Painters," in which was a defense of Turner's painting. In this volume he established his reputation as a prose poet of nature. "Stones of Venice" was described as the book of descriptive prose in the English language. Ruskin won his fame as a writer of English prose, but he confessedly failed in verse, while no English writer was more eloquent. He was a wonderful interpreter of nature. We should, however, listen to him as a prophet and not as a law maker or statesman. He has been compared to Tolstoy, though he is less extreme than he. In the discussion that followed the paper Mrs. Blodgett said that she felt that his critics have written of him at too close range, that he was distinctly a prophet and when the world has grown to him, then will he be better understood and more sympathetically criticized.

At the next meeting of the Social Science Club the study of Ruskin will be continued, a paper to be given upon "Ruskin's Social and Industrial Theories."

The Ladies Home Circle will meet in the Unitarian Church parlor, West Newton, Wednesday, March 21, at two o'clock.

D A R

The regular meeting of the Lucy Jackson Chapter, D. A. R., was held at the Newton Club, Monday, March 12. Mrs. Bancroft, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Mervise and Mrs. Whitmore were the hostesses in the afternoon. Mrs. Sarah S. Bartlett read a most interesting paper on "Roger Canby, the founder and first governor of the town which settled at Salem, Feb. 1, 1630." distributed for the paper, which the Chapter presents on March 21 for the benefit of Continental Memorial Hall.

Cross's Restaurant, 10 School Street, Boston, is a good place to dine, if you are in the city.

Auburndale.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vail, who have been residing on Auburn street, have moved to Boston.

Mr. George D. Harvey of Central street has returned from an extended sojourn in California.

Mr. Daniel F. Riordan of West Newton will open a leather shop in the Plummer block on Auburn street.

Mr. C. D. Arlington and family are moving here and will occupy the Spaulding house on Central street.

Mr. Ernest F. Robinson has purchased for a home the house formerly occupied by J. H. Redding on Oakland avenue.

—Mr. R. E. Taylor is remodeling the building in the rear of his block on Auburn street into two four room cottages.

—Miss Mary A. Tape of Central street has recovered from an attack of pneumonia and has returned from the Newton hospital.

—Miss Heloise Kennedy of Central street is recovering from an operation for appendicitis and has returned from the Newton hospital.

—Rev. Charles M. Southgate, formerly pastor of the Congregational church has been elected superintendent of the Massachusetts Bible Society.

—The lockers are being put in to the new boat house, near the Weston bridge at Riverside. The building will be completed before the season opens.

—Mr. J. Walter Davis has been elected a director of the Massachusetts Mining Company the annual meeting having been held in Boston the last of the week.

—Mrs. Charles F. Richardson of Weston will have the sympathy of her friends in the death of her father Mr. Stephen Dexter Bennett in Brookline last week.

—At Lasell Seminary last evening a lecture on "Domestic Science Movement," was given by Mrs. Ellen H. Richards of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

—Mr. James S. Leonard has taken a lease of the Rogers house on Melrose street through the real estate agency of Jams W. Beasley. Mr. L. Felberg will occupy the house he vacates on Auburn street.

—The meeting of the Friendly Class last Sunday was in charge of Mrs. F. S. Peloubet and the subject considered was, "Palestine in the time of our Lord." Among the speakers were Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Lamson, Mrs. Stanford, Rev. Dr. Peloubet and Mr. Wells.

—A pretty dancing party under the auspices of the Woodland Orchestral Club was held Friday evening in Norumbega hall. About 35 couples were present and dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 12. Music being provided by the club. The matrons were Mrs. C. E. Temple, Mrs. F. W. Young and Mrs. Spaulding.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

BAPTIST.

Immanuel Baptist church, Church street, near Centre, Newton, Rev. Frank B. Matthews, pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; evening service, 7.30; young people's meeting, 6.30; Sunday school, 11.45. Baptist church, West Newton, Rev. Edwin F. Snell, pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; Bible school, 12.15 P. M.; afternoon Bible class at 4; Swedish meeting, 5 P. M.; evening service 7.30 P. M.; prayer meeting, Friday, 7.45 P. M. Baptist church, corner of Centre and Beacon streets, Newton Centre, Rev. Everett D. Burr, D. D. pastor.—Morning meeting, 10.30; Bible school, 12; young people's meeting, 6.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First church, corner Centre and Haver street, Newton Centre, Rev. Edward M. Noyes, pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school, 12.10; Christian Endeavor, 7.30. Second church, Washington street, opposite Highland, West Newton, Rev. T. P. Prudden, D. D. pastor. Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school all departments 12. Eliot church, Centre street, corner Church, Newton, Rev. Franklin S. Hatch acting pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; vesper service, 4.30; young people's meeting, 6.30; Sunday school at 12. Central church, Walnut street, Newtonville, Rev. J. T. Stocking, pastor.—Morning service, 10.45; evening service, 7.30. Sunday school after morning service, Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.30 P. M. Congregational church, Auburndale, Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school, 12; young people's meeting, 6.30 P. M.; regular evening service, 7.30. Congregational church, corner Lincoln street and Erie avenue, Newton Highlands, Rev. George T. Smart, D. D., pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school, 12; Y. P. S. C. E., 6.30; evening service, monthly, 7.30. North Evangelical Congregational Church, Chapel Street, Northampton, Rev. H. E. Oxnard, pastor. Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school 12 M.; Y. P. S. C. E. 6 P. M.; Evening service at 7 P. M.

EPISCOPAL.

Grace church, opposite Farlow park, Eldridge street, Newton, Rev. George W. Shinn, D. D., rector. Morning service, 10.30 and 10.30; Sunday school, 12 M.; evening service, 7.30; Friday, 4.30 P. M. St. John's Church, corner Lowell avenue and O'Connell street, Newtonville, Rev. Richard T. Loring, rector.—Morning service at 12.45; vested choir of men and women; Sunday school at 12.15; afternoon service at 7.30. Church of the Messiah, Auburn street, near Rowe, Auburndale, Rev. John Matteson, rector.—Morning service, 10.30; evening service, 7.30; Sunday school, 12; communion first Sunday of the month at 10.30 and third Sunday at 9.15.

St. Mary's church, Concord street, Newton Lower Falls, Rev. Thomas L. Cole, rector.—Morning service, 10.15; evening service, 4.30; Sunday school, 9.30. Holy communion first Sunday in the month, 10.15; all other Sundays, 8.45. Church of the Good Shepherd, Waban, Rev. James C. Sharpe, rector. Sunday services at 10.30 and 7.30. Sunday school at 12.

Trinity church, Centre street, corner of Boston street, Newton Centre, Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, rector. Sunday services at 10.30 and 7.30. Church of the Redeemer, Hammond street, Chestnut Hill, Rev. D. C. Garrett, rector. Holy Communion, 8 A. M.—Morning prayer and sermon, 10.30 A. M. Sunday school 12.15 P. M. Evening prayer and lecture sermon, 8 P. M.

SWEDENBORGIAN.

Church of the New Jerusalem, Highland avenue, Newtonville, Rev. John Goddard, pastor.—Morning service at 10.45.

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ister in charge. Morning service 10.30. Sunday school, 12. Channing Unitarian church, corner Eldridge and Vernon streets, Newton, Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson, pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school, 12 M. First Unitarian Society, Washington street, West Newton, Rev. Julian C. Jaynes, Pastor.—Morning service and kindergarten, 10.45. Sunday school 12 M. Unitarian Society, Newton Centre, corner Centre and Cypress streets, Rev. Morgan Millar, pastor.—Morning service, 10.30; Sunday school at 12. Hale union, conducted by the young people, at 7.30 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Methodist Episcopal church, corner Centre and Wesley streets, Newton, Rev. George S. Butters, D. D. pastor.—Preaching services Sundays, 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.; Epworth League meeting, 6.45 P. M.; Wesley Guild Tuesdays at 8 P. M.; general prayer meeting Fridays, 7.45 P. M. Communion first Lord's day in each month.

Methodist church, Walnut street, Newtonville, Rev. Albert L. Squire, pastor. Sunday at 10.30 preaching service; 12 M., Sunday school; 7.30, evening preaching service.

Auburndale Methodist church, Rev. Frank C. Haddock, pastor.—Sermon at 10.30; Sunday school at 12; Junior League at 3; praise and prayer service, with special address by the pastor, at 7.30. All cordially invited.

Newton Upper Falls Methodist Episcopal church, corner High and Summer streets, Rev. O. W. Scott, pastor.—Morning service at 10.45; evening service at 7; Sunday school at 12; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. Class meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting, Friday evening at 7.30. Communion, first Sunday morning in January, March, May, July, September and November.

Newton Highlands church, corner Erie Avenue and Hartford street, Rev. John Charlton, pastor.—Morning service at 10.30; evening service, at 7.30; Sunday school after morning service; junior league at 3.30; young people's meeting at 6.30. Class meeting, Tuesday at 7.45 P. M. Prayer meeting, Friday at 7.30 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Centre street and Langley road, Newton Centre, Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling, pastor.—Morning service at 10.30; Sunday school, 12; Epworth League, 6.15; evening service, 7. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening, 7.45.

UNIVERSALIST.

Universalist church, Washington park, Newtonville, Rev. Albert Hammett, pastor.—Services, Sunday preaching service, 10.45; Sunday school, 12.10. Men's club, first Monday evening in each month. Monthly supper and social, second Thursday evening in each month.

CATHOLIC.

Church of Our Lady, Help of Christians, Newton, Rev. Michael Dolan, pastor, Rev. James F. Kelly and Rev. A. S. Malone assistant pastors. 1st mass 6.00 A. M.; 2nd mass 7.30 A. M.; children's mass 9.00 A. M.; high mass 10.30 A. M.; vespers, 3.00 P. M. Weekdays, mass 5.45, 8.00 and 9.00 A. M. Holydays mass 5.45, 8.00 and 9.00 A. M. St. Bernard's Church, West Newton, Rev. Laurence J. O'Toole, pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan and Rev. Francis Cronin, assistant pastors.—1st mass, 6.00 A. M.; children's mass, 8.00 A. M.; high mass, 10.30 A. M.; Sunday school, 9.00 A. M.; vespers, 3.00 P. M. Week days, mass 7.30 A. M. Holydays, mass 5.00, 6.00 and 7.30 A. M.



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Book Collecting Madness.

The insatiable craving of book collectors is illustrated in the case of Rawlins, an English bibliomane who would buy a book though he had twenty copies of it. He lived and died among bundles and piles of books covered with dust and cobwebs. The Spectator mentions two collectors whose covetousness increased with their collection.

Mr. Heber, the brother of the bishop, bought all that came in his way, by cartloads and shiploads and in whole libraries, on which in some cases he never cast his eyes.

Of a similar disposition was the famous Antonio Magliabechi, who is said to have lived on titles and indexes and whose very pillow was a folio. The old bibliomane lived in a kind of cave made of piles and masses of books, with hardly any room for his cooking or for the wooden cradle lined with pamphlets which he slung between his shelves for a bed. He died in 1714, in his eighty-second year, dirty, ragged and as happy as a king.—London Standard.

The Origin of Sugar.

Sugar has been known since the dawn of history, but not in all countries. The Chinese appear to have delighted their palates with sugar for more than 3,000 years, and it was known in India earlier than in Europe, being made from a juicy reed or cane. One of Alexander the Great's generals carried sugar to Greece in the year 325 B. C., as Sir Walter Raleigh some 2,000 years later carried tobacco from Virginia to England. But even so late as 150 A. D. sugar was still a rarity in Greece. The famous physician Galen used it as a remedy for certain maladies. Recent experiments show that sugar has remarkable sustaining power when eaten by those undergoing great fatigue. The invention of the first process for refining sugar is ascribed to the Arabs, and a Venetian merchant is said to have purchased the secret from them and introduced the process in Sicily. The refining of sugar was first practiced in England about 1650.

The Word "Row."

"Row" is one of the many words which are rising to respectability with advancing age. Todd's edition of Johnson's dictionary (1827) denounced it as "a very low expression." Since it appears to have been occasionally written "roue" about a century ago some have wished to find its origin in the French "roue." Todd identifies it with the older "rouse," a drunken bout, big drinking glass or big drink, in which sense that word several times occurs in Shakespeare. Hamlet observes that "the king doth wake tonight and takes his rouse." "Row" is supposed to be a false singular formed from "rouse," mistaken for a plural, as "pea" for "pense," "sherry" from "sherries," "cherry" from "cherries." But it seems simpler to explain "row" as short for "row-de-dow," an excellent word for noise.

The Late Stranger.

An attorney in Philadelphia who makes a specialty of prosecuting suits against railway companies growing out of injuries due to accidents on the line tells of the trouble experienced in the cross examination of an Irish witness. This witness had evidently been carefully coached by counsel for the company, for when the question was put to him, "Was the man found on the track a total stranger?" the wary Celt replied: "I should say not, sir. Seem' that his left leg was gone, I should say, sir, that he were a partial stranger."—Woman's Home Companion.

Suspicious Fear.

"Well, brother," said the deacon, "that was a fine prayer you made last night."

"Thank you, deacon. I am very glad to hear you say so."

"Yes, it was a splendid prayer, long and fervent. And, say, what have you been doing anyway? You can confide in me with the utmost confidence. I wouldn't betray you for anything in the world."—Chicago Record-Herald.

He Called the Turn.

"I came," announced the intimate friend of the family, "to make my dinner call."

"But," they protested, "you haven't been here to dinner lately."

"I know that," he replied, "and I thought if I called that defect might be remedied."

An invitation was promptly forthcoming.—New York Press.

Buying a Book.

Here's a conversation I overheard between two women in a bookstore:

"Isn't that a pretty book?"

"Charming."

"I am sure Ella would like that."

Then to the clerk, "I'll take this book."

As the clerk was wrapping it up she added: "What is it, by the way? I didn't look."—Boston Record.

Justice a Device.

It is universally conceded that nothing short of divine justice can measure the intrinsic guilt of any action or administer punishment which shall be exactly commensurate to the crime. What we call justice is in fact a very rude device which fluds its justification in the necessity to protect society.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Her Intention.

"So little Flutterby married the strong-minded Miss Dairling. I never supposed he had any intentions in that direction."

"He hadn't; the intention originated with her."—Chicago Tribune.

Life Sentence.

"Poverty's no crime."

"It ain't? Then why is it punishable by hard labor?"—Cleveland Leader.

Literary Notes.

There is a good deal in the March McClure's that you don't want to miss. Miss Ida M. Tarbell's "Commercial Machiavellism" brings home the lax morals that have built up great corporations and business houses, showing how the axioms of Machiavelli's "Prince," although pretty strong even for Italy of the Medici, form the catechism of the modern captain of industry. Ray Stannard Baker continues his well-fitting series, "The Railroads on Trial," devoting the current number to the formation of public opinion by the law-breaking railroads and shippers; disclosing as neat and clever and complicated a piece of underhanded machinery as ever you heard of. Carl Schurz's "Reminiscences of a Long Life" furnishes by far the most exciting chapter we have yet had, "The Escape from Rastatt," which recounts the story of how Schurz with two companions, on the surrender of the fortress to the Prussians, hid in a barn where the enemy's cavalry were bivouaced, and finally escaped through a deserted sewer. Anthony Fiala concludes his accounts of "Five Years in the Arctic" with the story of the separation of the party, the last advance north in the darkness, the final surrender, and the arrival of the relief ship. Many of the photographs in this instalment are even more remarkable than those in the February number. Clara Morris has a charming bit of stage recollection, "Looking Backward," in which she tells how she saw Henry Irving for the first time while she was hunting a leading man for Mr. Daly. The March number is unusually strong in good fiction with "The Exiles" by Harvey J. O'Higgins; "A Matter of Principle" by Samuel Hopkins Adams; The third story of the "Arizona Nights" series, "The Cattleman's Yarn: The Remittance Man Story" by Stewart Edward White; "The Last Pilot Schooner," by Ralph D. Paine; "A Grief Deferred," by Alice Brown; "A Small Person" by Mary Talbot Campbell; and "A Retributive Trip" by Jeanette Cooper. The poems, which balance the number, are: "The Crocus" by Herbert Trench; "Beyond the Spectrum" by Florence Wilkinson; "The Marionettes" by Witter Bymer; "In the Night," by Paul Kester; and "A Song," by A. E. Housman.

Concert.

The Newton Y. M. C. A. Orchestra will give its second annual concert on Tuesday evening March 20th at 8 P. M. They will be assisted by the Boys Glee Club. The Orchestra is composed of 25 men many of whom are well known musicians. The leader is Mr. Charles F. Atwood of Newton.

The Boy's Glee Club needs no introduction to a Newton audience wherever they sing they make a favorable impression. Mr. C. F. Ellison is the leader of the club and Mr. Willard G. Harding is accompanist.

The orchestra will give among other numbers "The Poet and Peasant Overture" by Suppe; "A Day in Venice Suite" by Elbert Nevin. The Glee Club will sing "Three Doughty Men" by Pearson, Soldiers Field, Brown Victory and Yale Boala. There will also be selections by a quartet and a reader.

As this is the only concert to be given this year by the orchestra and glee club a large attendance is expected.

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Newton Centre.

—Mr. William A. Tucker is having a new house built for him on Hammond street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Norris have reopened their home on Glenwood avenue.

—Work has begun on the new residence for George H. Goodhue at Chestnut Hill.

—The Hammond Real Estate Trust has had plans drawn for a new house on Suffolk road.

—Dr. Charles H. Fessenden of Pelham street is much improved after his recent illness.

—Mr. Herbert M. Cole has had plans drawn for a two story residence on Somerset road.

—Mr. Charles F. Kirkland of Parker street is recovering from an attack of erysipelas.

—Mrs. Alan R. Flanders of Norwood avenue is recovering from her recent illness.

—Mr. George Linn, who has been ill at his home on Langley road, is improving in health.

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—Mr. F. L. Ashworth and family will make their future home in the Ireland house on Irving street.

—Mrs. E. A. Southall and family will make their future home in the house located at 88 Manet road.

—Mrs. Charles G. Burr of Centre street has been away the past week on a trip to Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Frank W. Stevens of Beacon street has arrived in Cuba, where he is looking after business interests.

—The old Nickerson house on Institution avenue has been moved to its future location on Chesley road.

—Mr. R. M. Moore, who has been ill at his home on Langley road, is reported much improved in health.

—Mr. C. S. Pillsbury and family will make their future home in the Estabrook house on Commonwealth avenue.

—Mrs. William A. Haskell entertained a party of friends at her home on Commonwealth avenue last Wednesday afternoon.

Newton Centre.

—Mr. F. L. Cutting, the Insurance Commissioner, is quite ill with vertigo, at his home on Chestnut terrace.

—Dr. George E. May and his son, Lawrence May of Commonwealth avenue, are back from a trip to California.

—Mrs. Lucretia M. Bush has bought for improvement a lot of land located on Beacon street in the Chestnut Hill district.

—At Trinity church last Friday evening Bishop Lawrence administered the rite of confirmation to a number of candidates.

—Rev. Edward T. Sullivan will be among the Lenten speakers at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Watertown.

—Good progress is being made on the new power launch for Mr. Alanson Bigelow, Jr. Sheldon of Neponset has the contract.

—Mr. J. Wiley Edmonds of Beacon street, who was quite seriously injured in a recent automobile accident, is reported improving.

—Mr. Burton P. Gray of Ripley terrace has been spending a part of the month looking after his business interests in the West.

—Mr. Oscar Storer of Ripley street is a director of the Sandwich Glass Company, recently incorporated under the laws of Massachusetts.

—At the Methodist church this evening Rev. R. T. Flewelling will continue his Lenten addresses, the special topic being, "A Day of Silence."

—Rev. George H. Spencer, formerly pastor of the Methodist church, has been elected president of the Grand Lodge of Theta Delta Chi fraternity.

—Rev. Dr. George A. Coe, professor of moral and intellectual philosophy in Northwestern University, will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church next Sunday morning.

—Mr. Henry D. Degen is treasurer and chairman of the building committee for the New England Deaconess Hospital which will be built this spring in Brookline.

—Fearing trouble with discharged employees, the Boston Ice Co. now busy cutting ice from Hammond's pond, requested the attendance of a detail of police officers on Thursday.

—Mr. John L. Belmcke of Langley road has been elected treasurer of the New England Hen Nest Manufacturing Company, recently incorporated under the laws of Massachusetts.

—A social was held at the Oak Hill Chapel Wednesday evening which was well attended. There was a supper and later an entertainment including solos by Miss Eva Sanderson of West Newton.

—A meeting of the Ladies Benevolent and Church Aid Society was held in the First Church parlor Wednesday morning. Mrs. William B. D. Gray gave an address on "Frontier Life in Wyoming."

—At the Baptist church last Monday evening Mr. John Hermann Loud gave his ninth free organ recital. Mr. Loud was assisted in the artistic program by Mr. Allen Prescott, formerly tenor at the First Baptist church.

—The regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. G. A. Holmes on Sumner street. This was the Lafayette Hearn meeting which was postponed from February.

—Rev. George A. Coe Ph. D., John Evans, professor of Moral and Intellectual Philosophy at Northwestern University, and who is an eminent psychologist and author will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

—Nearly 300 ladies of the Society Set attended the reception given by Mrs. F. H. Hovey, at the Sanborn residence on Chase street last Monday afternoon from 3 to 6 to meet Mrs. Sanborn's mother, Mrs. Warren Foote of Brooklyn, N. Y.

—A large audience was present at the First church Wednesday evening when an organ recital was given by Mrs. Claude T. Landi. Mrs. Charlotte Games, first soprano of the Shawmut church, Boston, assisted in the artistic program.

—Mrs. Allen McIntosh of Marshall street was one of the patronesses for the candlelight given in Potter hall, Boston, last Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Junior Charity Club. Miss Bebe Irene McIntosh gave a dainty monologue.

—Miss Sarah L. Arnold, dean of Simmons College, was a guest of the Tuesday Club of Jamaica Plain at its last meeting and gave an interesting lecture on "A New Conception of a Liberal Education." Miss Arnold followed her lecture with a summary of Simmons College.

—Mrs. Bridget Cannon widow of John W. Cannon, died at the Newton hospital last Friday after a brief illness. She was an old resident and is survived by several children. Funeral services were held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Coleman, on North street Sunday at 2 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Wholey, pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart, officiating, and the interment was in Holyhood cemetery.

—Plans for the celebration of "Village Night" on March 27th are going on apace. A banquet will be served at 6:45 o'clock in Bray hall, followed by speaking by Alderman Frank A. Day, Mr. W. E. Parker of the school committee, President M. E. Jones of the Improvement Society and Representative J. A. Lowell. There will be music, singing and a social hour. This will be an excellent opportunity for all classes, creeds and conditions to get together, and become acquainted not only with each other but with the needs of the village and city.

—At the Woodland Park Hotel on Sunday the Bay State Automobile Club entertained a number of friends who had come from the west and south to attend the automobile show.

—At the annual meeting of the Suffolk Branch of the Woman's Board of

Newton Highlands.

—Mrs. C. P. Tobin is visiting friends in Chicago, Ill.

—G. W. Watson is much improved from his recent illness.

—Mr. J. A. Lowell of Erie avenue has returned from New York.

—The new shed over the station platform is finished and it is a creditable piece of work.

—The C. L. S. C. will meet with Mrs. Hapgood, Terrace avenue next Monday, March 19.

—The Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. will meet with Mrs. Hapgood, Terrace avenue next Monday.

—Miss Edith Butterfield, who has been the guest of Mrs. F. A. Arend of Chester street left this week for Chicago.

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—Next Tuesday evening, March 20th, there will be a social gathering at the M. E. Church, which will excel in pleasure the party of Feb. 22.

—On account of the illness of Mr. Dawson, superintendent of the post office, Mr. Pratt of the Newton Centre office has been assisting here.

—The clock in the new Congregational church is now in running order waiting for the hands. The fire alarm striker is also ready for business.

—Richard Wright of Oak terrace has sold his house to a party from Jamaica Plain and will build another house on the same street for his own occupancy.

—The Monday Club will meet next Monday at Mrs. Durgin's, Hyde street, on which occasion Miss Allen, former principal of the Bradford Academy will address the Club on the Cathedral of Milan.

—There will be a food sale at Mrs. Ogden's, 57 Fisher avenue, tomorrow from 2 till 5 P. M., given by Mr. Kiefer's Sunday school class for the benefit of the Newton Highlands Congregational Church Building Fund. Chafing dish cookery will be served.

—Next Sunday evening the Rev. J. E. Charlton will lead the Epworth League meeting at the M. E. Church and at 7:30 will preach on "The Cake Half Baked." A large number of young people are in continual attendance at these services and you will be very welcome.

—Last Sunday evening the 4th Quarterly Conference was held at the M. E. Church and the reports for the year were very encouraging. The pastor was urged to return for another year, but has not yet fully decided what is the best course to take though he has the matter under consideration. After the conference Rev. C. F. Rice, D. D., the presiding elder preached a very earnest and helpful sermon on "Christian Stewardship," and administered the sacrament of holy communion.

Upper Falls.

—The marriage of Miss Bertha Bullock to Mr. Arthur Rumery will take place in April.

—Mr. H. F. Locke of Boylston street spent part of the past week in New York on business.

—Mr. J. W. Sweet of Oak street has lost a black and tan dog that disappeared last Monday.

—Mrs. W. L. Thompson of Boylston street was called to Somerville the past week by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Lincoln.

—Mrs. Charles Mills of High street entertained a few of her many friends at her home on Friday evening by giving a "Hearts Party."

—Mr. Frank A. Arnold of Auburndale, President of the Newton C. E. Union, gave a very interesting address at the M. E. church last Sunday evening.

—Mrs. H. E. Locke and Mrs. L. P. Everett of the Pierian Club assisted at the Newton Federation table at the Federation Bazaar which is being held at Horticultural hall, on Wednesday evening.

—Next Sunday at the M. E. Church at 10:45 subject, "The Sustaining Joy" of Christ during the work of Human Redemption." At 7, the pastor will give a sermon lecture to young people on "Habits and Associates." Everybody welcome.

—The Pierian Club held a "Gentlemen's Night" in the form of a bowling party at Old Fellows hall on Thursday evening. The ladies dressed in white shirt waist suits with green belts and the decorations and confections and ices were in green to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

—Next Wednesday the Pierian Club are to entertain the scholars of the Ralph Waldo Emerson School by having Mrs. Charles Guild the well known children's story teller give them one of her interesting talks from 3:30 to 4:15, after which the Club will render a reception to the teachers of the school. Mrs. Guild has talked before about every club in Massachusetts and is a favorite with the grown people as well as the children.

Auburndale.

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—Mrs. Blanche C. Martin of Lasell Seminary will read her adaptation of Justin McCarthy's book, "If I were King," at a dramatic recital to be given in Potter hall, Boston, next Thursday under the auspices of Minute Men Chapter at the Woman's Clubhouse Corporation Club.

—At the residence of Rev. John Matteson on Auburn street Tuesday evening a meeting of the Men's Club of the Church of the Messiah was held. Archdeacon Balcock of the diocese was the guest of the Club and spoke of the mission work being done by the Episcopal church in the city of London.

—At the Church of the Messiah this evening Rev. John Matteson will continue his Lenten addresses on the topic, "Jesus Christ according to St. Mark." The subject will be, "With Anger." Next Sunday evening the preacher will be Rev. Frederick A. Reeve, rector of the Church of the Ascension, Waltham, who will speak on, "The Nation for Christ."

—The sudden death of Mrs. C. Frank Pitts of heart failure at her home in Ellsworth, Me., Monday, March 5, came as a shock to her many friends here. She was a former resident of this place and was the daughter of Mrs. H. R. Chamberlain of Wolcott street. She is survived by her husband, one son and one daughter. The remains were brought on and were interred in the family lot in Holiston on Thursday.

—Under the auspices of the Gordon branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in the Congregational chapel Wednesday evening a concert was given by Mrs. May Sleeper Ruggles, soprano soloist; James K. Morrison, tenor soloist; Master George Graham, violinist; Miss Edith M. Snell, reader. The vocal part of the program consisted of Scotch songs which were sung by a Scotch chorus under the leadership of Mr. George M. Mitchell.

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(Continued from last week.)

Congressman Weeks. There are
some things mutual in this country be-
sides insurance companies. One of those
has been the desire for the past two
years to have one of our guests return
to us who was a guest at a meeting here
two years ago. (Applause.) And the
mutual part of it is indicated by the fact
that he has been equally anxious to re-
turn. He was then a young man, com-
paratively, (laughter), but he had a
reputation of being one of the bright
men of Congress, and he comes back to
you now older, with a wit brighter,
mellow, and a logic, sounder. He is a
good friend of the Newton Club and of
the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
and I know you will give Judge Hogg
of Colorado a royal welcome. (Applause
and cheers with "Tiger!")

Hon. H. M. Hogg.
I feel somewhat, my friends, like a
stray dog returned. (Laughter.) You
know if you treat a stray dog kindly he
always will return, and if I had a tail
I'd wag it. (Laughter.) I am sorry that
Sam Powers is not here (cries of "So
are we!")—yes, I know you are—be-
cause he was a man that I thought
more of, perhaps, than any other mem-
ber that I have met so far in Congress.
(Applause.)

I do not know that at this hour it is
desirable to go into any considerable
discussion. There were some few things
that I thought to suggest to this New-
ton Club along the line of political ac-
tion and political thought at this time.
It goes without saying, I think, that the
American people are very considerably
aroused at this time. Not so much the
rascality that has been found to be con-
nected with our great insurance com-
panies, not alone the rascality that is
believed to exist in many other orga-
nizations, but the demand by the people
of this country for what the President
has termed "the square deal." (Ap-
plause.)

Now our President, I believe, did not
invent that term. The term had been
used before he became President. I
think it had been used, probably, before
he was born. I don't know why you
should smile. I don't know what you
know about it. (Laughter.) And I
know nothing. I have heard that it was
a term made use of by certain gentle-
men who met occasionally or who do
meet occasionally and probably will
meet occasionally for amusement in a
somewhat secluded place and stirred up
the amusement a little by a small pec-
uniary reward which may be received
by successful manipulation of paste-
boards. The fact is, the term is a very
expressive one. To one who has been
told about this game I imagine you
would understand that "a square deal"
meant more than each man getting his
five (hesitating as if uncertain of the
correct number, then repeating five)
(laughter) than each man getting his
five cards dealt from the top of the
pack. Then I believe there is another
rule—I am told—than one man alone
shall not always deal the cards (laugh-
ter), that it shall pass around, take its
turn, let each man have a fair whack at
it; let each fellow deal. Of course down
in our country we don't have to hide
out so much about it. It is not so se-
clusive a proposition with us.

Then we have another species of that
game in which they designate the fel-
low who is to deal by saying, "Pass the
back." (Laughter.) That is another ex-
pression that ought to have a lodgment
somewhere in our political nomenclature
—to pass the back—that is, give
some other fellow a chance to deal.

Now I suppose the President meant
nothing by "a square deal" except that
he demanded absolutely fair play be-
tween men. (Applause.) And I think
that when he announced that he must
have struck a responsive chord in the
hearts of nearly every American citizen.
(Renewed applause.) I am not one of
those persons my friends who believe
that the President is the only man who
appreciates a square deal and I am not
a person to believe that the President
himself believes that he is the only man
who believes in a square deal. We all
believe in a square deal. Justice, equity,
fair dealing, has always been a principle
of action among men. And so the Presi-
dent did not discover this. He did not
invent the Ten Commandments. He
does not claim to. There are some peo-
ple foolish enough at this time and so
ignorant as to what the past has been
that they really have come to believe
that he did. But he didn't. (Laughter.)

When the Ten Commandments were
handed down by God on Mount Sinai
it was not Teddy that was there, it was
Moses.

But I am willing to accord to the
President this one great virtue—that in
Roosevelt had been with the Children
of Israel in the Wilderness, when that
Law was to have been handed down, he
would have nearly supplanted Moses
in getting there. (Renewed
laughter and applause.)

Now then we will start out with the
proposition that all American citizens
believe in this square deal. What does
it mean? How is it to be applied in the
transaction of governmental affairs?
Certainly it is not to apply solely to
this corporation or that corporation;
certainly it was not intended to apply
solely to railroads, of which my good
friend Weeks has spoken this evening.
It must be taken to apply to everybody,
whatever his position may be in the
government. It must mean that the Leg-
islative body, or Congress, shall give to
the President a square deal, and it must
be in return that the President shall
give to Congress a square deal. (Ap-
plause.) That is what it means. And it
is out of this turmoil and disturbance
that is going on today that I wish to
call your attention to a fact that seems
to me to be as dangerous to the well-
being, to the welfare, to the liberty of
the citizen as any encroachment by any
corporation. And that is this: The
growing power of the executive depart-
ment of the government as it affects the
legislature. (Applause.)

The powers of Congress are well
marked out. The powers of the execu-
tive are just as well defined. And when
one body or one department of govern-
ment encroaches upon another, then
there must of necessity be danger to the
people. I am not one of those who be-
lieve that we are wiser than our fathers.
I am not one of those who believe that
the founders of this great country of
ours, this great government of ours,
were not the wisest of men. And it
seems to me when I begin to study the
great system of this government, that
the Almighty God had inspired these
fathers of ours to build wiser than we
can ever hope to build. (Applause.)
When you tell me that it is wise for
Congress to invest a department of this
government with power or discretion to
determine the rights of individuals, then
you tell me of a danger that it seems to
me we are fast approaching, so far as
the action of Congress and the action
of the different departments of the gov-
ernment is concerned. There is hardly
a bill that passes Congress but what has
within it a clause or a provision that
along certain lines in the execution of
the law a certain departmental, govern-
mental officer shall be entrusted with a
discretion to carry out some of its pro-
visions. We find that in every depart-
ment of the government. Take the treas-
urer of the United States. What a tremen-
dous power does he possess, so far as
executing the law, say in regard to
your customs duties. He has a discre-
tion to classify, he has a discretion to
find a value, he has a discretion that
even the courts so far have refused to

Take your post office department. It
was referred to here tonight—the fact
that the postmaster general may make a
fraud order which may crush a man and
from which order there is no appeal.
Take the interior department, and
there, I think—because I have had more
experience with it, perhaps, and have
been more interested in it—I have seen
more of the workings of this departmen-
tal power than anywhere else. The sec-
retary of the interior, of course, has to
do largely with the public lands. Away
back in Grover Cleveland's time an act
was passed giving the President power
to establish forest reserves. No one at
that time ever dreamed that any presi-
dent would arise who would take al-
most the entire public domain in places
where there was a tree growing and in
some places none and put that into a
forest reserve and retire so much of the
public domain from actual settlement
and from the possibility of making
homes for American freemen. And still
today you will be surprised when I tell
you that there is an area of the public
domain in the United States put into
forest reserves that is greater than the
entire area of New England and New
York combined. In the state of Colorado
there are over 14,000,000 acres of
land put into forest reserves—how?
Why, by executive order. The law was
that this land should be opened to ex-
ploration and settlement by the people
of the country. The idea was that the
public domain should belong to the peo-
ple to be made use of by them, for the
erection of homes, for the exploitation
of the natural resources of the country.
And still by this order we find this tremen-
dous domain retired from possible
settlement. Not only that, our stock
raisers out in that western country who
have been grazing their stock over these
public lands for years, men who have
grown to considerable means from
small beginnings—I think my friend
Forrestall, if he is here, will remember
how these young men years ago went
out there and started in the stock busi-
ness. Now we find that they cannot
graze on the public domain without
paying a tax to the government. What is
the result? Why, an army of employees
put there to keep people off, to drive
them away from the public domain.
And that is another illustration of this
power.

There is no end to it. Take the con-
duct of Indian affairs in this govern-
ment. There is not a bill passed through
the Indian Affairs committee, of which
I am a member, so far as I know, that
the entire matter is not left to the dis-
cretion either of the President, the sec-
retary of the interior or the commis-
sioner of Indian Affairs. And still we
sit there and stand it. Day by day the
power is passing away from Congress.
Why, I know a great many people say
they would rather have the executive
run the thing anyway. They have such
a tremendous regard—justly so to a
very considerable extent—for the pres-
ent President of the United States that
they would be almost willing to risk
their souls in his keeping. But he will
not always be president. There is the
danger. The fact that the man stands
before the American people and before
the world as the foremost citizen, ab-
solutely depended upon for his honesty
and his courage and his patriotism, is
the very cause of the danger that may
come to us. (Applause.) This man will
not always be president, and who shall
follow him no one knows.

Congressman Stanley, Hogg, I hope,
if it has got to be a Republican.

Congressman Hogg. Oh, but I want
to say to you, my dear friends, it won't
be the first hog that has been in the
presidency. (Laughter.)

Now along that line that I am sug-
gesting—and it is the only thought that
I care to suggest to you—comes this
very important one of which Mr. Weeks
has spoken tonight—this railway rate
regulation. Now, I voted for that bill—
not that I believed it was complete, not
that I thought it was dangerous, but
I voted for it simply and solely be-
cause my people asked that that vote be
recorded. That is why I voted for it,
and that is the way I think that every
representative in Congress ought to
vote. (Applause.) He is not sent there
to express his own judgment. It is
sometimes it would be better if he had
I was once arguing this very question
with a member of the Colorado legis-
lature and was taking the position that
I take now, that a representative should
represent his people. He said, "Suppos-
ing your constituency are damn fools?"
"Well," said I, "Sam, I should say in
your case they were properly represent-
ed." (Great laughter.)

Now it strikes me that this is a ques-
tion of most mighty importance to the
American people. The fact that the peo-
ple themselves are so roused, that they
must lead us to consider very seriously
what ought to be done. That evils exist
goes without question. That a wrong
and innumerable wrongs are commit-
ted upon the people by the railroads—
must be admitted without question.
There must be lodged somewhere a
power to remedy that wrong. Under our
system of government we understand
and under our decisions of courts, there
can be no wrong without a remedy. And

so it is the duty of Congress in this in-
stance, so far as interstate commerce is
concerned, not so much to find out the
wrong, because that is admitted—it is
known to exist—but it has become the
duty of Congress to find a remedy and
apply it. Now what have you done? I
may see other suggestions as to the
gradual growth of executive power
against the interests of the people as
represented in Congress to lead up to
this one proposition, and that is this:
that when we vest a power in a com-
mission, an executive arm of the gov-
ernment, that very moment you have
placed in that commission a power that
even the President of the U. S. himself
does not possess, a power to disorgani-
ze commercial transactions, a power to
wreck the very government itself. And
I say it is a mighty serious question.
You tell me that I am in favor of putting
this power, so far as determining
whether a rate is reasonable or not, in-
to the hands of the courts, where it be-
longs. (Applause.)

We hear a great deal of talk about
courts these days—venal courts, they
call them. I never hear a man take that
attitude toward the courts that I do not
think ought to be yanked up at once and
sent to jail for contempt. (Applause.)
I have practiced before courts of one
kind and another for a number of
years. I practiced before them in a
country where you might think they
were wild and woolly, but I never yet
have seen a judge that I believed was
corrupt—never. (Applause.) While all
these vast interests are at stake and
must be regulated—there can be no
question about that—the only solution
in my judgment, is that this question
shall be left where the constitution of
the country left it, and that is in the
hands of the courts. Let them determine
this question. Let your commission be
appointed to properly find out these
wrongs and report them, and then put
the evidence thus secured in the hands
of the prosecuting officer of the govern-
ment and demand of him to do his duty,
and that, in my judgment, is all you
need to do.

Now my friends, I have again to ex-
press my heartfelt thanks for this op-
portunity of being permitted to re-
turn. I did not come, as Cataline, to leap
the gulf alone. But really it is an oc-
casion of supreme pleasure to be with
you again. I do not know that I shall
ever have the hardihood or the oppor-
tunity to come back.

President Weeks. O yes, (Voices
"Yes you will.")

Judge Hogg concluded by telling sev-
eral amusing stories.

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John R. Moran played a curious trick last week, the like of which has never been executed at the State House with such completeness as to details. There have been instances when a measure has been defeated by those who were opposed to its becoming a law in which some exceedingly clever work has been done, but it is believed that this has been the first time where a man has caused a bill to be introduced, secured champions to advocate it on the floor of the House with red-hot declamations, and then gone to work and deliberately killing the measure. It was a cruel piece of work to be sure to inflict upon Representative Grady, but at the same time it was a masterful movement and placed Mr. Moran at the head of legislative tricksters. The trick was this: After the most elaborate preparations, Mr. Moran's bill made its appearance in the House as a substitute for the report of the committee. Now, oftentimes, this is an easy way to carry a bill to enactment. Legislative committees are frequently made to suffer for the strenuous labors which some members put forth to get on the committees, and the work of the committees is occasionally brought to naught by substituting the bill for the report, but Mr. Moran evidently feared that it might fail in this instance, and so he applied the torch himself. The day before the bill was to be debated, the famous District Attorney came out in his organ and gave notice to the legislature that he should have his stenographer present, who would take down all that was said for and against his bill, and practically the legislature was defied. In this manner the District Attorney played his little trick on his friends. It was rascally, but it was rich.

The bill for a Commission on laws regulating the sale of liquor, was heard last Friday, and a treat was afforded those in attendance in listening to an elaborate argument by Ex-Attorney General Parker in favor of the proposed commission and a conditional acquiescence in the plan by M. M. and B. B. Johnson, who appeared for the Temperance people, Mr. Parker, appearing for the Board of Trade, and in a general way for the recommendation of the Governor. In the course of the hearing, Mr. Parker interrogated Chairman Cole and Judge Emmons regarding their views upon the proposition. Both gentlemen favored the plan, Chairman Cole unservedly, and Judge Emmons reluctantly. Mr. Emmons evidently was more diplomatic in his opinion and Mr. Parker had some difficulty in securing an endorsement of his contention. The Ex-Attorney General appeared at his best and made an argument which reinforced any previous opinion prevailing as to the ability of the Worcester lawyer to hold his own in the use of the English in elaborating a proposition. This matter of a Commission is one of some importance, and legislative action will largely depend upon the disposition which the Great and General Court may take later upon the bills relating to the Screen, the Semi-Colon and the Abutters laws.

In the hearing before the Joint committee of the Judiciary on Thursday, upon the bill to abolish the death penalty a large number of people listened to the arguments and evidence, both for and against. Among those who spoke in favor of the bill, was Rabbi Fleischer, Hon. Thomas J. Gargan, Hon. Willard Howland, and others. Mr. Gargan, who possesses one of the brightest minds in Boston, in speaking of the ultimate success of the agitation made the following remark: "An idea enters the brain of a single man, he communicates that idea to another mind, and a state is revolutionized." That is like the remark of Emerson, when he said "Beware when the great God lets loose a thinker on this planet." The death penalty will hardly be abolished at present, there are too many persons about who entertain such notions as those of Rev. Mr. Vigin, a spiritualistic lecturer in Boston, who said the other day in an address, "Our legislative blockheads of Massachusetts will some day wake up, and the death penalty will be blotted out from our statutes." Men like this individual would do well to wake up to the foolishness of making such remarks as that, if they wish to aid the legislature in its work. The legislature of Massachusetts does not contain all the blockheads in the state, the lecture platform has its share. By the way, it would not do for the evil minded to bank on the abolition of the death penalty too much; the electric chair is too much of a novelty to dispense with at present.

The Committee on Taxation continued its hearing on the bill to provide for the taxing of property held by colleges and not directly used for educational purposes, which is aimed at taxation of dormitories. The hearing was conducted by Senator Feiker of Northampton. Few subjects that come before this important committee are more perplexing than this college taxation question. One finds himself alternately in sympathy with those who are for and those who are against the taxing of college property. At first, one is inclined to revolt against the idea, and then, after listening to the arguments of Senator Feiker, and those who believe with him, we are led to put the matter on the table for future consideration. It is a pity that extravagance which lies near the basis of taxation, should make it necessary that education, the basis of civilization, should be obliged to be taxed.

A fresh example of the necessity of reforming the present method of doing some business at the State House, was furnished the other day, when the committee on Taxation assembled to hear the evidence and arguments on the bill of Daniel J. Kilroy for the taxation of street railways, light and power companies. Mr. Kilroy failed to appear, although he was in the building and the committee voted to give him leave to withdraw. Of course that action was unnecessary from one point of view, because the gentleman had not put in an appearance. If it had cost the Ex-Representative a dollar or two to put that bill in, the General Court would probably not have been to the expense and trouble of arranging to hear House Bill 891.

Mayor Fitzgerald's chickens are beginning to return to the place where they may settle themselves to rest in the vicinity of City Hall. The Mayor has

taken occasion to make many remarks about the decadence of Boston and has even gone so far as to advocate slot machines with which to increase the City's cash balance. The Congressional delegation sent to Boston lately to look over the necessity of a new Custom House poured cold water upon the project, by saying that it declined to entertain the suggestion, as Mayor Fitzgerald had said repeatedly, that Boston is falling behind very rapidly, and the Committee asked why Boston needed a new Custom House if that is the case. Somebody ought to tell the Mayor what the parrot said after he had had the encounter with the dog.

Considerable favorable comment has been heard at the State House regarding the withdrawal of the bill providing for biennial elections in the City of Newton. It is understood that sufficient opposition to the scheme had been developed to discourage the supporters of the plan. Newton is too fine a town to set such an example of government at long range as that suggested. City government at its best, is not of the people, by the people and for the people enough to entirely still the longing for town government which springs eternal in the American breast.

One of the speakers at the hearing for the abolition of capital punishment last week made a remark which called out some applause, by saying, "I should like to see one entire session of the legislature devoted to the repeal of laws that now encumber our statute books."

Edgar J. Bliss.

Mock Trial.

The mock trial given under the auspices of the Newton Highlands Methodist church last week Wednesday evening at Lincoln hall in that village brought out an audience which taxed the capacity of the building to its limit. At times during the evening, the hall could almost rival the crowded appearance of the Hyde school.

George H. Mellen Esq. was the judge, Probation officer Lafie, Clerk Sprague of the Newton Police Court filled their usual positions although the court was not one recognized by the Commonwealth, and Deputy Sheriff Tucker was the court officer. The jurors were Messrs Walter Chesley, Darius Cobb, J. B. Haskell, H. S. Hiltz, Seward W. Jones, C. S. Luitweiler, Robert Levi, Rev. G. G. Phipps, Rev. J. E. Charlton, W. E. Wood, J. H. Green and F. A. O'Connor, all of whom answered to such fanciful names as apparently suited their convenience or appearance.

Rev. Mr. Phipps charged by Rev. Mr. Charlton, his bigamy because he had married more women than any other man in Newton Highlands was fined \$1.37 and the case continued until April 31.

John Temperley, editor of the Town Crier, was charged with holding up a street car of the Newton & Boston line for the purpose of riding a half mile and contributing ten cents. Damages were estimated at \$28.98 and the case continued until July 4th.

E. J. Corey Jr. was charged with larceny of three rabbits from the store of Miss M. E. Chase. The evidence showed that the defendant was seen to leave the store with three hares on his coat sleeve. G. A. Cotey, charged with exposing undressed kids in his shoe store was sentenced to the Lyman reform school.

Darius Cobb was found guilty of purchasing a coat from Otis T. Pettie and fined \$9.98, the case returnable on Feb. 29, 1907.

The main case was then called. This was a breach of promise suit brought by Miss Nettie E. Gerry, as Mrs. Perkins against Frederick W. Emerson.

Mrs. Perkins testified that she had first met the defendant when he had rescued her from the attack of a large and frightful animal, which proved to be Dr. Withee's gray mare. After which Emerson called often at her house, usually at meal time.

Dr. Withee testified that he knew the plaintiff and had heard his father say how she had made love to his grandfather. He said that the widow was a monomaniac, that he believed she was "sweet" on him at one time. He had called in Doctors Thompson and Phelps for a consultation (double fee), as they had had considerable experience the past year with heart trouble cases. Asked if he believed the jury members to be monomaniacs, he said undoubtedly some of them were, being afflicted with politics, but he hoped, notwithstanding.

Mr. E. P. Boston testified that he had noticed Emerson around at meal times and at one time had found the defendant planting an osculation on the widow's lips.

Miss Lynch denounced the defendant as a gay deceiver, in fact, he had at one time told her that he loved her madly, wildly, etc., and endowed her with a valuable ring, which later Woodworth Brothers said worth 25 cents, and said she, Mrs. Perkins was given the same ring. Miss Lynch gave as her reason for accepting "Freddie" that he looked so cheap when he proposed, and being a woman she could not resist a bargain.

Mr. Emerson told how he had a twin brother who was taken with the widow, but it was Miss Jerusha Ray Perkins to whom he paid court. He had sat up with the widow every other night to tire her out so that he might enjoy the company of her charming niece. He found it necessary to send "billet doux" in Moulton's sugar, some of the epistles containing as much as 50 pages, which were put in the bag and weighed with the sugar cane extract. As the niece was in the kitchen she first received the letters. When questioned about the widow's proposal he admitted it, but said as Rev. J. E. Charlton was in the next room he made his escape before the widow forced a marriage. (Here the defendant inflicted a storm of his poetry upon the jury.) In response to the question how he managed to keep in good health after staying up night after night he said that he partially slept daytime like some city officials, those who had their eyes opened but did not see anything. Asked if he referred to the assessor who taxed a dead man for 12 years he replied in the negative. Continuing the defendant said that since that night of the widow's proposal he and the niece had met frequently at Echo bridge.

After the attorneys had elaborately and humorously reviewed the case on both sides, the jury was instructed by Judge Mellen to banish every impression of the case from their minds. They then retired and soon returned with a verdict for the plaintiff of \$3.98, of which \$3 was to go to the jury and 98 cents to the judge.

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Of more than unusual interest are the old prehistoric "bird tracks" of the Connecticut Valley to either active sportsmen or students of natural history, and to give some of our sportsmen friends outside the "Valley" some idea what these signs of game, of what is called the "Triassic Period," are like, I have enclosed a photo or two. Just outside the city of Holyoke, Mass., between the Old Road and the New State Road to North Hampton, there is a patch about 50x100 feet which has been cleared of all surface earth by parties interested in geology, and which is now protected by the State. This patch is completely covered with well-defined tracks, such as my photo shows, and most of which will measure 12 to 14 inches in the longest parts, and 8 to 10 inches wide, while in depth they are from 1 to 2 1/2 inches.—J. E. Mellwain, in Recreation for March.

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—"The Seven Last Words of Christ,"
a sacred cantata composed by Theodois
Dubois, will be sung by the choir of the
Eliot church, Sunday afternoon at 4.30
o'clock.

—At the North Evangelical church
Chapel street, next Sunday evening at
7 o'clock Supt. Call and Mr. F. David-
son will present the cause of the Dover
Street Rescue Mission. Converts of the
Mission will also be present.

—A business meeting of the Ladies'
Social Circle was held Wednesday after-
noon at the Methodist church. Supper
was served at 6.30 and later an enter-
tainment was given consisting of
readings from Paul Lawrence Dunbar's
poetry and a dialogue entitled
"Hiring a Girl."

—H. G. Reid, who for eighteen years
has been associated with the shoe man-
ufacturing house of Endicott-Johnson
Co., Boston, Mass., and has for several
years held an interest in the business,
has associated himself with the Pratt
Shoe Co., of Natick, under the style of
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cesses 15,000 pairs. The many friends
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him on his good fortune.

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—Mr. H. E. Barker of Park street
returned this week from a southern trip.

—Mrs. John H. Sellman of Church
street has returned from a visit to rela-
tives in New York.

—Mr. I. Newton Pierce, who has been
quite ill at his home on Franklin street,
is improving in health.

—Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Towle of
Boston are receiving congratulations on
the birth of a daughter.

—Miss Mary Childs entertained the
Eliot Guild at her home on Richardson
street last Tuesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Willard G. Brackett has sent
out invitations for an afternoon tea,
Thursday, March 29th, from 3 to 5.

—Mr. George H. Buffum of Centre
street is looking after business interests
in Montana and other western states.

—Mr. Robert Porter of Church street
has been elected captain of the Newton
High School track team for the coming
year.

—A set of handsome and comfortable
new chairs have been placed in one of
the class rooms at the Immanuel Bap-
tist church.

—Rev. John Matteson of Auburndale
will preach a Lenten sermon at Grace
church next Sunday evening on "Liter-
ature and Art."

—Mrs. G. O. North was among the
passengers sailing for Gibraltar and
Naples on Saturday on the North Star
liner Romanic.

—The young people's society connect-
ed with the North Evangelical church
held an enjoyable book social in the
vestry last evening.

—Miss Josephine H. Stuart of Pearl
street is sojourning in Jamaica having
gone there on the last trip of the "Ad-
miral Dewey" of the United Fruit Com-
pany's line.

—The meeting of the Standard Bear-
ers for March will be held next Monday
evening in the vestry of the Methodist
church. Mexican Missions will be con-
sidered.

—Mr. Sterling Elliot of Maple street
was among those who participated in
the mock town meeting held in the Uni-
tarian building, Watertown, last Wed-
nesday evening.

—Mr. L. E. Moore has purchased the
Lawrence house on Church street. Dr.
Charles W. Bradley and family, who
are occupying the house, will move to
the Goodrich house 142 Church street.

—Rev. Charles W. Wendte of Bright-
on will preach at Channing church next
Sunday morning in exchange with the
pastor. The series of sermons on "Our
Faith" will be resumed the following
Sunday.

—The Newton basket ball team was
defeated by the Amek team at Cam-
bridge last Saturday by a score of 10 to
8. The Newton team was made up of
Wogan, Norcross, Noyes, White and
Brown.

—Martin Moran, while shovelling
snow from the roof of Mr. J. E. Mer-
rill's house, Waverley avenue and Sar-
gent street last Tuesday, slipped and fell
to the ground. He was injured about the
head and back and was taken to the
hospital.

—In Channing church parlors Satur-
day afternoon Mrs. Schofield's class will
give a children's entertainment and tar-
get. There will also be an exhibition of the
"Dolls of All Nations" in the kinder-
garten room under the charge of Mrs.
A. D. W. Sampson.

—The regular meeting of the Newton
Monday Evening Club was held this
week at the residence of Prof. George
F. Jewett on Bellevue street. Mr. Mi-
chael Wing gave an interesting paper de-
scriptive of the lake region of England,
its scenery and literary associations.

—Prof. Edward C. Moore of Har-
vard University will occupy the pulpit of
Eliot church next Sunday morning. In
the afternoon at 4.30 the choir will re-
nder the cantata "The Seven Last Words
of Christ," by Theodore Dubois under
the direction of Mr. Everett E. Truette
the organist and choirmaster.

—Last week Thursday night, a mail
pouch destined for the local post office
was taken from the 11.05 P. M. train
and recovered in a much damaged con-
dition early this week in the water near
the Southampton street bridge, South
Boston. The top was completely cut off,
and the amount of mail matter lost is
unknown.

—Special Lenten Services were held
in Channing church, on Wednesday at-
tention at 4 o'clock Mr. Hudson taking
for his subject "The Lesson of the
Mountain Side." Miss Cora Carter of
Newtonville soprano soloist, and Mr.
W. N. Kilburn, of St. John's church,
Cambridge, organist. Services next
Wednesday at 4 p. m.

—The fourth recital was given at
Eliot church last evening by Mr. Allen
W. Swan, organist of the First Unitar-
ian church in New Bedford. This pro-
gram consisted of selections from Rhein-
berger, Woodman, Bach, Franck, Ham-
del and others. The recital next Thurs-
day evening will be by Mr. Henry M.
Dunham, organist of the Harvard church
Brookline.

—The Eight O'Clock Club celebrated
its twentieth anniversary last Tuesday
evening at the Newton Clubhouse. Mr.
William F. Garcelon being the host. Mr.
George Agry gave an enjoyable review
of the club's history, in rhyme, entitled
"Retrospect and Other Respects" and
Dr. Spencer gave a paper on the "Rela-
tion of Thorough Mastication to Gen-
eral Health."

—The Junior League of the Metho-
dist church will hold an Easter Sale in
the vestry next Wednesday afternoon
and evening. The various tables will rep-
resent the months of the year and will
be appropriate to the season as regards
the articles and decorations. In the eve-
ning a cantata, "Little Old Folk's Con-
cert," will be given by children dressed
in costume.

Newton.

—Mr. Leach is confined to his home
on Marlboro street this week by illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Caton of the
Evans left Tuesday for a trip to New
York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Rice of Eli-
ot street have returned from their trip
to Florida.

—Mr. Geo. W. Barber captured a
young owl on Newtonville avenue last
Sunday morning.

—Miss Florence Ames of Pearl street
is spending a part of the month with
friends in New York.

—Mr. O. R. Newcomb of the Charl-
ton has leased the Second house and
stable on Church street.

—Mrs. Laura Jackson of Milford will
be the soloist at the Methodist Episc-
opal church Sunday evening.

The Misses Jennie and Helen Magoley
of Charlestown road are spending a part
of the month in Newport, N. H.

—Miss Sarah A. Haskell of Church
street is slowly recovering from the ef-
fects of a fall sustained some weeks ago.

—Prof. George F. Jewett has sent out
cards for an at home at the Mt. Ida
school, Saturday March 24, from 8 to
10.

Mrs. W. M. Baker of Centre street
has the sympathy of her many friends in
the sudden death of her son, William
M. Baker, of Bayonne, N. J.

—Mr. Newton Stanley, who has been
recovering from a surgical operation at
his home in Maine, is in town this week
the guest of relatives and friends.

—The many friends of Mr. S. M.
Sayford will be interested to learn that
he is recovering from a surgical opera-
tion at the Boston Homeopathic hospital.

—At the meeting of the Woman's As-
sociation at Eliot church Tuesday morn-
ing Mr. John Anderson described the
work of the Floating Hospital and gave
some Scotch readings in dialect.

—By the breaking of a coupling of the
engine of the South Framingham train
when at Faneuil last Monday night
about six o'clock, several local trains
were delayed about a half hour.

—The Union meeting of the mission-
ary societies of Immanuel church on
Wednesday afternoon was addressed by
Dr. Anna Corlies of Hassetline House,
and Miss Alice Richards of the Newton
Centre Home for children of mission-
aries.

—The parish hall of the Church of
Our Lady was well filled last Thursday
evening when an entertainment was
given in aid of the building fund. The
program consisted of Decker's moving
pictures with cameragraph recitations and
music by Miss Rose Campbell, Miss
Mary McCarthy and Mr. Edward J.
Powers.

—A special series of week night meet-
ings will be held in the Immanuel Bap-
tist church, beginning next Tuesday
evening. These services are to be at 7.30
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Fri-
day evenings of next week and the week
following. The preaching will be
by the pastor Mr. Matthews, and the
music will be in charge of Mr. Law-
rence Greenwood.

—A social given by the Sunday school
teachers of Eliot church to the parents
of the scholars was held Wednesday
evening in the parlors. About 150 were
present. Dr. Cowan spoke of the work
of the Friendly Class, Mr. Greenwood
for the Home Department, and Rev.
Mr. Hatch on Sunday School work.
Readings were given by Miss Mary L.
Speare, vocal solos by George Edwards
and piano solos by Miss Grace Manning.

—A surprise party was given to Mr.
and Mrs. Stephen J. Quinn at their new
home on Elmwood street last Tuesday
evening. About 50 friends were pre-
sent, including the clerks in Atwood's
Market, of which Mr. Quinn is one of
the proprietors, and they were the re-
cipients of a handsome 400 day crystal
mantel clock. Mrs. Marcus Haley read
most acceptably and there were songs,
mandolin and piano selections and re-
freshments.

—Mr. Fred A. Hubbard received a
telephone message on Monday evening
to send some articles to Mrs. Casey's
residence on Kenrick Park with change
for a \$10 bill. While preparing the goods
Mrs. Casey passed by the store and Mr.
Hubbard called to her and learned that
some confidence game was evidently on
foot. The police were notified and ad-
vised that the goods be sent, and two of-
ficers would follow. This was done but
no one was found.

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well club house a second performance of
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liam H. Davis club. The success which
this production achieved last month has
been responsible for a reputation as the
public demand for an opportunity to
hear it once more was so great that it
could not be denied. Since it was de-
cided to give it again the author, Lay-
erett Bailey, and the composer, Henry
T. Wade, have personally directed re-
hearsals that there might be, next Mon-
day evening, as complete and smooth a
performance as was held on Feb. 27.
In fact it is hoped that the original pro-
duction will be eclipsed in every way.
Mr. Bentley has written a number of
new local "gags" that the hits on New-
ton people may be fresh as well as
funny. It appears to be the feeling of all
concerned that there will be nothing
lacking if constant and conscientious re-
hearsing is needed to accomplish that
end. Tickets may be obtained from the
business manager, Walter C. Whitney,
to Maple street, Newton.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Notwithstanding the severe storm which raged last Monday evening, a score or more residents of the Nonantum district, braved the elements and attended the hearing at City Hall before the board of aldermen upon the petition of the Nonantum Improvement Society for better sidewalks in that district.

Ex-Alderman Reuben Forkall opened for the petitioners and said that it had been a very long time since the residents of Nonantum had appeared before the aldermen, but you will probably know more about Nonantum when we are through than you have ever known before. We have a school house problem in Nonantum and if you had visited the Jackson school, you would be ashamed to sit here without doing something immediately, as it is a disgrace to the City of Newton. The present petition for improvement is indefinite, but there are specific things we need. Every street in the district needs something done, and I suggest that the same special committee which has considered the schoolhouse problem be asked to report on our streets.

Alderman Doherty said that the petition had been made indefinite with deliberate intent, for the reason that the streets and sidewalks need attention. It is the result of a feeling which has been steadily growing for 8 or 10 years. If it had not been for the storm we would have had 200 or 300 people here this evening. We are here to demand politely but firmly for what we consider our rights. During the last ten years scarcely any work has been done in our section, although we have been steadily paying our real estate and water taxes. We simply ask for a good gravel sidewalk, for it has been the custom in the past to patch up our sidewalks with street cleanings and manhole refuse. A committee of the Improvement Association appointed to go over the sidewalks were often obliged to travel the middle of the street, 1000 children travel daily to school over these streets often with wet feet and consequent illness. Both Mayor Weed and Commissioner Ross said last year that Nonantum was sadly neglected and promised that something should be done. This petition is not gotten up for any political purposes and has been signed regardless of creed, nationality or political affiliation.

Mr. John W. Murphy said he had been born and bred in Nonantum, and Dalby street where he lived had been a combination of swimming tank and skating rink until the sewer had relieved the situation. Our streets, sidewalks and gutters often join hands and make one beautiful mud puddle. We believe we are discriminated against and that conditions in our section are a disgrace to Newton. We demand that part of the taxes collected from our district shall be expended on our streets.

Mr. Edwin O. Childs Jr., said he had been a visitor to Nonantum several times each week for the past eight years, on account of his interest in the Boys Club. He said he was not an expert on highways but knew when he was in mud to the ankles. Pearl street, part of Green street, both need fixing. Dalby street is in bad condition on both sides. Chapel street is in bad condition in parts. California street is in mighty poor condition and Watertown street is in bad shape. I think most of the residents of Nonantum if they go out calling are willing to wear rubbers but they ought not to be obliged to wear rubber boots.

Rev. H. E. Oxnard spoke on the spirit of the movement. The Improvement Society has about 25 members and is still growing. The village has come to a new consciousness of its dignity and power, because our men are waking up, thinking of their children, of good citizenship and what will build up their lives. First the streets, then a library, and what you put into Nonantum is going to come back in rich return, greater manhood and citizenship.

Mr. W. S. Bowen said the object of the Society was to secure Nonantum such improvements as the intelligent citizens think are essential to the welfare of the district. On Watertown street the sidewalk in many places is below the grade of the street. On Adams street, on any Sunday afternoon, several hundred people may be seen marching along the center of the street. Chapel street is in the same condition and residents of Dalby street say they have to have an apology ready when visitors call on them.

Mr. William H. Thomas said he had been in Nonantum 30 years and all that had been said was true.

Mr. John W. Blakeney said he had several children going to school and felt he must enter his protest tonight. It makes me feel bad to see my children come home with their ankles covered with mud. The mill girls, at \$3.50 per week can not afford to buy many rubbers or shoes, and if this petition is favorably considered they will send a bouquet to this board.

Thomas Halfrey made a dramatic speech which greatly interested those present. He said in part. For 36 years the city has taken the taxes from Faxon street to beautify the homes of the rich and give us the privilege of wading through mud. We do not receive full return from our taxes. We pay for our schools, our police protection, our sewers. In building the sewer in Faxon street they took the surface material somewhere else although we had paid for it. The gravel left after building a drain was not used on the sidewalks of Faxon street but for grading around the city table. The water tax of \$6 a year before the sewer was put in has been raised to ten dollars. They used to charge \$4 for meter rent, it is now \$1.50. They buy their meters with the public funds, and the meters practically belong to the people, but they charge us \$1.50 a year for a meter that costs \$5.86 and belongs to us. Talk about the landlords of Ireland, the greatest scoundrel of a landlord would not charge 25 to 30 per cent. for his own scales, he measures corn on, but that is what the city does to us on meter rent. Faxon street has been open to the public for 36 years but it is not an accepted street. It belongs to the public, however, and the public should keep it in repair. We are taxed for everything and it comes pretty near robbery. They have taken our taxes for 36 years to beautify the city but they have never beautified Faxon street. We are paying our taxes for sidewalks; we are not asking for beauty, we are asking for hard stern necessity. We are not asking the whole of our taxes, but for Heaven's sake give us part of it. We are asking for justice, we are not here to demand it, but the time will come when we will demand it.



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The meeting of the board was attended by Aldermen Beck, Bishop, Bosson, Burr, Cabot, Clarke, Day, Doherty, Ellis, Hall, Holmes, Hunt, Palmer, Stone, Underwood, Weston and White and with President Carter in the chair.

The appointment of Seth C. Stevens to be a registrar of voters for three years was received from Mayor Warren and promptly confirmed, 13 ballots being cast.

The mayor also transmitted the petition of the Newton Street Railway Company for permission to erect a waiting shelter near the flagpole in Newtonville square. The petition was referred to the Committee on Public Franchises.

HEARINGS.

No one appeared at the hearings on petition of the Gas Light Company for re-locations on Beacon street, nor upon the petitions of the Telephone company for attachments on Walnut st. near Otis st.; Walnut st. near Washington st. and on Brookline st. from Dudley st.

On the petition of the Telephone company for pole locations on Hillside road, Mr. T. M. Green appeared for the company in favor of the petition. Later on motion of Alderman White the hearing was postponed until Apr. 2 at 7:45 P. M.

Petition of Geo. F. Williams for renewal of Auctioneer license was granted without reference, while petitions of Chas. P. Harro for 2 pool tables at Abundant, and of W. J. Hodgdon, Raymond Hodgdon, Geo. Green, Mathew Hurley, W. J. Dargon, P. S. Beck and C. G. Henrikus for newsboy licenses were referred to the License Committee. A hearing on Apr. 2 was assigned upon petition of the Telephone company for attachments on Eliot street.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The Finance Committee reported favorably on passage of the order for culvert construction at Charles river and Boylston st.; on granting Mary E. Moore, \$4. per month from Soldier's Relief, and on making a grant of \$2472 for city expenses until Apr. 15. Orders for these matters were subsequently adopted.

The Public Franchises committee reported favorably on petitions of the Boston & Worcester St. Railway Co. for change in location of turnout on Boylston st. near Chestnut hill, on petitions of the Telephone Company for attachments of Chestnut terrace, Centre st., Grant ave., Chestnut st., Walnut st., for pole location on Windsor road and for permission to remove poles on Walnut st.; also on the petition of the Gas Light Company for attachments on Winchester st. Orders were subsequently adopted on all these matters.

On favorable report of this committee these licenses were granted: Norumbega Park Co. for renewal of its amusement park license, and 2 pool tables to D. F. Riordan at Abundant.

The report of the Joint Committee on School Houses which is printed in full in another column was then read, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

On favorable report of the Committee on Public Works a hearing was ordered for Apr. 2 on the taking of land in Old England road for a sewer.

Alderman Weston presented an order authorizing the appointment of a commission of three citizens to serve without compensation to prepare the early town records for printing. Alderman Weston stated that his order simply provided for continuing work which had been under way during the past two years, without expense to the city. The order was adopted and the President appointed ex-alderman Chas. S. Ensign, Mr. Marcus Morton and Col. Isaac F. Kingsbury.

A recess was taken for a few minutes for a committee meeting and the board at 9:28 o'clock adjourned.

NEW SCHOOLHOUSES.

Report (31029) of Joint Select Committee of School Committee and Board of Aldermen appointed (30922) Feb'y 5, 1906 to consider the need of new school houses.

To the Board of Aldermen and the School Committee:—

The Joint Committee to which was referred the consideration of the needs of the City in regard to school buildings, unanimously reports that it finds that there now exists urgent necessity for additional school buildings in three sections of the city; viz:—

Nonantum, Newton Highlands, and at the High School, Newtonville.

In the section which is herein called Nonantum, there are now in use three frame buildings:—

The Jackson on Watertown St., corner of Bridge St.,

The Eliot on Pearl St. and

The Lincoln on Thornton St., corner of Pearl St.

The Jackson, the oldest school building in the city, is a two and a half story 6 room structure. Two of these rooms are on the third floor, unfit for

school purposes, and were abandoned for such more than ten years ago, but the growth of the school has this year necessitated putting them again into service. There are double classes in the kindergarten, part of the children attending in the morning and part in the afternoon. The other grades taught here are the 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The total number of enrolled pupils is 252, an increase of 92 since Sept. 1904. The sanitary arrangements at the rear of the schoolhouse, entirely separated therefrom, are unhygienic and generally unsatisfactory. The lack of proper ventilation is a serious matter, and in other ways this building is far below the high standard maintained in most of our school houses.

The Eliot building is about 20 years old and is in creditable condition for further use. It contains four class rooms, occupied by grades 1, 4, 5 and 6. The ventilation here is poor.

The Lincoln building is a 2 room structure, one of the oldest school-houses now in use, and in many ways ill adapted to the service. The sanitary arrangements are in the basement and are fairly satisfactory. Ventilation of the class rooms is bad. The grades here taught are the 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

Most of the pupils of the 7th, 8th and 9th grades, living in the territory served by these three buildings, attend the Bigelow School on Park St., Newton; some are in the Horace Mann School on Watertown St., opposite the yard of the Water Works, at Newtonville.

The Bigelow School, of recent construction, contains 12 class rooms. It was thought at the time it was planned that it afforded ample accommodations for many years. Every class room is now in service and in addition the master's recitation room is used by a class.

The Underwood Primary School is similarly crowded. It is therefore evident that some relief must soon be given to the Bigelow District.

The Horace Mann School is a modern 8 room building, fully occupied. It more directly serves the Newtonville portion of Nonantum, but to it are sent some of the pupils from the Newton end of the district.

Had it not been for a Parochial School, which cares for about 800 children, the situation at Nonantum would long ago have compelled the erection of a large school house.

We believe the conditions now existing make it imperative that a building, sufficiently large to provide for the growth of the near future, should be erected forthwith; and we recommend that it contain 16 rooms.

The Jackson and Lincoln buildings should then be abandoned, and the Eliot used for kindergarten and primary classes.

The Bigelow District will, in this way, be relieved to so great an extent that the present accommodations will serve for some years longer.

Supt. Spaulding tells us that, at the start-off, 12 rooms in the new building will be occupied, 9 by classes from the Jackson and Lincoln, and 3 by pupils now attending the Bigelow and Horace Mann Schools.

There are centrally located sites near the Eliot School and we recommend the purchase of land in that vicinity.

THE HYDE DISTRICT.

The Hyde School at Newton Highlands is an eight room brick building, with a hall and two recitation rooms on the third floor. There are seven furnaces for heating and another furnace is used for the ventilating ducts. And yet the corridors are without heat and the hall and recitation rooms are so poorly heated that classes, not infrequently, have been dismissed for that reason.

The ventilation in some of the rooms is defective. These conditions ought not to have been possible in a building constructed as recently as 1894. All the class rooms are occupied and, in addition, the two recitation rooms have been in constant use by classes since 1898. The City pays \$1100. a year for rent of rooms in the Club House, to which children of the kindergarten and first grade are sent. The accommodations are as satisfactory as can be expected from outside service of this sort. The enrollment in this district has not shown much of an increase,—only 20 in the last five years,—and it is probable that the people have, for this reason, been more patient in bearing with the unsatisfactory situation. Former school committees have recommended that additional school rooms should be supplied, and 3 years ago the City, recognizing this need, bought land adjoining the Hyde School. The situation here is only less urgent than it is at Nonantum because the increase in the number of pupils has been less rapid and they are all better housed.

At least four rooms in a new building would be occupied at the outset, and it has been suggested by citizens of Newton Highlands that a room should be used for a branch of the Public Library. In the event that this suggestion meets with approval, a ten room building would be advisable.

We recommend that an 8 to 10 room building be erected on the lot recently acquired, and that this be undertaken sufficiently early so that the building shall be ready for use Sept. 1, 1907; that a steam heating plant be constructed large enough to serve both the Hyde and the new building; that the ventilation of certain rooms in the Hyde School be improved.

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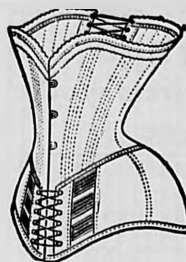
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Auburndale.

—Miss Louise Goring has had plans drawn for a new house on Grove street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Felberg moved Monday into the Taylor house on Auburn street.

—Mr. Augustus Nuenfeldt has been ill this week at his home on Commonwealth avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Plummer have returned from a sojourn at Southern Pines, N. C.

—Miss Martha Shepard of Commonwealth avenue has returned from a visit to friends in Lowell.

—Mr. Bancroft Davis and family of Weston have returned from a several months' sojourn in the South.

—Mrs. Mary Clark of Melrose street has rented for immediate occupancy the Carter house on Auburndale avenue.

—Mr. W. E. Scribner of Lexington street and his son, Mr. William Scribner, have returned from New Orleans.

—Mr. and Mrs. Morris E. Beardsley of Crescent street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Rev. John W. Plummer, D. D., of Andover, occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church last Sunday evening.

—Hon. Edward L. Pickard and Miss Julia Pickard, who have been sojourning at Pinehurst, have been guests at the Berkshire.

—Mr. William H. Blood of Woodbine street is recovering from a certain surgical operation and has returned from a Boston hospital.

—Mr. Guy M. Winslow of Lasell Seminary has sold his property in Waban to Walter E. Brown of Dorchester, who will improve the property.

—Prof. Horatio W. Parker's "Annals" was given in New Haven last Thursday evening by the New Haven Oratorio Society, a chorus of 200 voices.

—A dance is to be given in aid of the New England Peabody Home for Crippled Children to take place at the Hotel Somerset, Boston, next Tuesday evening.

—Conductor Philip F. Gardner of the Boston & Albany railroad and Mrs. Gardner will move soon from Melrose street to the Drake house on Auburndale street.

—Rev. Dr. F. N. Peloubet of Woodland road gave an address on "The Lord's Prayer," at the First Congregational church, Newton Centre, last Friday evening.

—Miss Elizabeth McCloud, who has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. Charles S. Cowdrey of Owatonna street is now filling a professional engagement as a nurse in Dorchester.

—Miss Alice C. Kendall entertained the Searchlight Club at her home on Woodland road last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Bridgman of South Africa was present and spoke.

—A pretty party was given in Norumbega hall last Tuesday evening. The affair was in charge of Mr. Lamb and his sister Miss Lamb. Instruction was given from 8 to 9 o'clock and dancing followed until 12.

—Among the pupils present at the international exhibition of work in design held at the Boston Art Club this week has been Miss Marian Jewett of Grove street and of the school of design connected with the Museum of Fine Arts.

—A large audience was present last Friday evening at the Mid-Week meeting. Rev. Dr. E. M. Noyes of Newton Centre gave an interesting address on "Light from School Day Memories on the Problems of Parents and Teachers."

—Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King Porter returned Monday from their wedding trip to Jamaica.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Priest of Vista avenue are back from a several weeks' southern trip.

—Miss Sadie McKenzie of Grove street is spending a few weeks with friends in Portland, Me.

—At Lasell Seminary the "Lasell House of Representatives" has been formed and as a legislative body, composed of 165 pupils, considers topics of current interest.

—There was a good attendance at the concert given in the chapel of the Congregational church, Wednesday evening. The program consisted largely of Scotch songs and was greatly enjoyed by all present.

—On Thursday afternoons during Lent the service will be held in the main church of the Messiah at 4 o'clock. There will be an organ recital each week by the organist, Mr. Everett H. Titcomb, and a special soloist.

—At the recent annual meeting of the auxiliary to the McCall Mission in France held in Boston Mrs. Albert Van Wagener was elected president and Miss Alice D. Adams a manager to represent the local Congregational church.

—Miss Dillingham was in charge of the Foreign Missionary meeting in the chapel of the Congregational church last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Peloubet and Mrs. Carver spoke on the work in Africa and of the wonderful Uganda Mission, its missionaries and their work.

—Rev. John Matteson will continue his Lenten addresses at the Church of the Messiah this evening taking for a theme, "If Thou Canst." On Sunday evening Rev. Dr. George W. Shinn of Grace church, Newton, will speak in the series of sermons on the subject, "All for Christ," his topic being, "The Market for Christ."

—The Friendly Class is to take up the third in the series of studies of Christ's life. The general topic is, "The Relations of the Wonderful Life." Mrs. E. A. Yarnell considered the subject, "The Women and Children," last Sunday, and next Sunday Hon. J. M. W. Hall of Newton Centre will speak on "To Pharisees and Rulers, Opponents."

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clifford of Maple avenue will have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their infant son Frederick on Sunday of pneumonia. Mrs. Clifford was called from the south and reached home before the little one passed away. The funeral which was private, was held from the house Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. W. Bishop officiating, and the interment was in Newton Cemetery.

—When Mr. F. W. Young of 350 Auburndale avenue went home Friday afternoon he discovered a burglar, who made a dash through the house and out of the back door with Mr. Young in pursuit. Not being able to catch him he returned and telephoned the police but the combined efforts of the officers and a number of street railroad men was of no avail. When Mr. Young examined the house he found that but little had been disturbed.

Farewell Reception.

A very enjoyable farewell reception in honor of Mrs. Frances Danton Wood, soprano soloist for seven years at Eliot church, Newton, was given Monday evening at the residence of Mr. Everett E. Truette, organist and choirmaster of the church, on Dean road, Brookline, by the members of the choir, which consists of a quartet of well known soloists and a chorus of thirty-five trained voices.

Despite the heavy snow-storm there was a large attendance. An elaborate musical program was given consisting of organ solos by Mr. Truette, a duet for organ and piano by Mr. and Mrs.

Truette, a solo by Miss Adelaide Griggs, contralto soloist of the church, and several finely rendered soprano solos by Mrs. Wood.

Following this Mrs. W. E. Birdsall of Newton, a member of the choir for several years, read an original paper entitled, "Chronicles, or the Acts of the Singers of the Temple," being a narrative of the life of the choir since Mrs. Wood's connection with it, written in ancient Biblical style; after which a handsome silver dish was presented to Mrs. Wood as a token of love and esteem from her associates.

A collation was then served in the spacious dining room and the evening proved an enjoyable one to all.

Mrs. Wood's splendid work as soprano soloist in the many fine cantatas given by Eliot church, in the past has been remarked by all, and her many friends and admirers regret her departure.

SAWIN FUND.

The memorial fund raised by the pupils and friends of the late Henry Chapin Sawin, for so many years Master of the Bigelow School, reached the considerable sum of \$700. There was a generally expressed wish on the part of the contributors that, in view of his many years of important, generous and not too well paid service to the community, some suitable provision should be made for his widow. The suggestion was at first made that an annuity should be purchased for her with the fund. It was later suggested that perhaps a few of those interested might be willing to take the place of the insurance company, guaranteeing to her the same annual payment which an annuity would yield, using the fund to secure themselves for their advances and devoting any balance of the fund which might be left at her decease to some permanent memorial for Mr. Sawin at the Bigelow School. The committee has acted upon this latter suggestion and has recently transferred the fund to Messrs. Frank A. Day, Sydney Harwood, Walter H. Holbrook, Alston Burr and Oliver M. Fisher, who have consented to act as trustees to carry into effect this plan.

Newton, March 23, 1906.

The Editor of the NEWTON GRAPHIC:

Dear Sir:

It may be as gratifying to many other residents of Newton, as to me, to hear of the laudatory remarks about our city from one, who has travelled through every part of this continent. "Newton is my birth-place," he said, "and I am proud of it. Why there is not a prettier town, nor one showing better city service, than Newton, between the Atlantic and Pacific."

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After visiting all the favorite haunts, including the Free Library, he observed that the latter institution is steadily improving in acquisitions and service.

"The Newton weeklies were pronounced 'very telling,'" with *The Graphic* ahead.

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Thanking you, dear Mr. Editor, for the space given to my letter, I am,

Yours truly,

Garden City.

Through the real estate agency of James W. Beasley, Thomas G. Black stock has purchased the Daniel G. Alexander estate, 257 Auburndale avenue, Auburndale, comprising a house, barn and 13,977 feet of land. It was sold for near the assessed value of \$3,000. By the same agency the Eliot house on Shaw street, West Newton, has been rented to E. P. Leonard who will take possession April 1st.

Y. M. C. A.

The Eight Great laws of sport will be the subject of an illustrated lecture at the Young Men's Christian Association on Tuesday evening March 27 at 7:45 o'clock in the large hall.

This lecture is being given in the Boston Public Schools at the suggestion of President Eliot and is attracting much attention. The Moral Education Board which supervises each lecture is headed by Prof. Henry Churchill King of Oberlin College and backed by many prominent men. Edwin Milton Fairchild gives the lecture and illustrates each of the eight laws of sport by photographs taken especially for this lecture. This collection has been going on for eight years.

A special camera holding thirty plates and capable of making an exposure every 2 seconds was invented by Mr. Fairchild for this photography and many photographs have been collected from English Athletics as well as from American sports.

Through the generosity of a friend of young men and boys in this community the Association is enabled to invite the young men in the High School and in the city to come to this lecture free of charge. Admission will be by ticket however which may be obtained from members of the Association or by calling at the building.

The Waitt Trophy meet will be held on March 31st.

The concert given by the Orchestra on Tuesday evening was a success even beyond expectation. The orchestra was especially fine in selections from "Woodland" and in the last number "Woodland." Great credit is due Mr. Atwood, the leader for his efforts to bring the orchestra up to its present high standard. The Glee Club which assisted the orchestra in giving the concert sang well and deserved the hearty applause given them. Perhaps the best selection was the group of college songs which included "Harvard's Day," "Brown Victory" and the "Yale Boole."

Almost all the seats in the big hall were taken by the large audience.

Entertainment Club.

The "College Night," given under the auspices of the Entertainment Club in the parlors of Channing church last Friday evening proved highly enjoyable and was attended by over 200 members and friends of the club. The rooms were decorated with the flags and colors of the various colleges and at the tables were gathered the graduates of Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth and Tech. The various songs were sung by the Boston Y. M. C. A. quartette and the audience and a musical program was rendered by A. H. Handley's concert orchestra. William F. Dodge, conductor. Everyone seemed to have a royal good time, much enthusiasm was manifested as the evening progressed and long streamers of colored paper were thrown about catching the merry-makers in a kaleidoscopic tangle. Refreshments were served by Messrs. Charles Carpenter, Frank Belding, Curtis Delano and Philip Byfield.

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intense interest of that village in the mat-
ter of street improvements, when over a
score braved the severe storm last
Monday night to attend the aldermanic
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The City of Boston has begun active
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We have received a communication
regarding the lack of co-operation in de-
stroying the nests of moths, which we
are unable to print as our correspondent
is unknown to us.

Organ Recital.

John Hermann Loud, organist, as-
sisted by Arthur Hadley, cellist, of the
Boston Symphony Orchestra, will give
the last of his series of free recitals in
the First Baptist church, Newton Centre,
next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.
The full program is as follows:

Fantasia—Sonata in A flat Rheinberger
a. Grave—Allegro.
b. Adagio Espressivo.
c. Finale.
Marche Nuptiale in E.....Guilmant
Cello and Organ
a. Cradle Song.....Klengel
b. Gavotte.....H. K. Hadley
A Springtime Sketch.....Brewer
Great Storm Fantasia.....Lemmens
a. Andante Sostenuto.
b. Poco animato (introducing the storm)
c. Andantino.
Cello and Organ—Andante from Second
Concerto.....Popper
Grand Finale in B flat.....Frank

Telephones.

Members of the Suburban Press As-
sociation were given a most enjoyable
afternoon at the United States Hotel,
Boston, last Monday by representatives
of the Telephone Company.

Mr. Woodbury, the lecturer of the
Company gave a most interesting talk,
illustrated with stereoscopic views,
showing the work of construction, the
difficulties overcome, and the elaborate
and systematic methods of the Company
to serve its army of patrons. The growth
in the number of telephones in use in the
United States is enormous, over two and
a half millions being used in 1905, an in-
crease at the rate of a half million a
year. The longest distance man has yet
talked is 1935 miles, from Boston to
Little Rock, Ark. Mr. Albert N. Bul-
lens of Newton, representing the con-
tract department then presented the As-
sociation members with the interesting
literature and advertising souvenirs of
the Company, and later in the afternoon,
opportunity was given under direction of
Mr. Horton S. Allen for telephone con-
nection in the states of Maine, New
Hampshire, Vermont, and Mass., quite
a number availing themselves of this
courtesy of the company.

Dr. Woodman Dead.

Dr. George Sullivan Woodman, for-
merly of Newtonville, died Wednesday
morning at the home of his daughter,
Mrs. Norval M. Bigelow, 200 Brattle st.,
Cambridge.

Dr. Woodman was a native of Boston,
and was born Nov. 22, 1824. He pre-
pared for college with Dr. Thayer, who,
in his day, was a noted educator. He
was graduated at Amherst in 1846, and
at Harvard medical school in the class
of 1849. He married Jane, the daughter
of Dr. P. J. Gridley of Amherst, and for
some years was associated with Dr.
Gridley in practice there. Later he took
up homoeopathy and practiced it in Lynn
and in Newtonville. He retired in 1899
from Newtonville and made his home
with his daughter, Mrs. Bigelow.

During the civil war Dr. Woodman
was an examining surgeon and was sta-
tioned at Brooklyn. He was a member
of the Alpha Delta Phi society, the Mas-
sachusetts medical society, and later of
the Homoeopathic society.

He is survived by his wife and five
children, George H. Woodman, an at-
torney in New York; Elizabeth L. B.
Woodman of Cambridge; Robbins G.
Woodman of Newtonville; Mrs. F. Ura-
na Woodman of New York and Mrs.
Norval M. Bigelow of Cambridge.

The funeral will be held at 2 p. m.
Sunday. The services will be conducted
by Rev. Dr. Calkins, formerly of Eliot
church, Newton, of which Dr. Woodman
was an attendant, and Rev. Dr. Franklin
Hamilton of Boston. Burial will be in
Amherst.

Out-Door Delights in Jamaica.

Pictures—pictures all along the way!
Nature's gallery, and nothing to pay.

This might be said of any of the beau-
tiful trips to be made in this wonderful
country, this island of Emerald set
round with lapis-lazuli of sea and palest
turquoise of sky.

Words fail to adequately tell of the
tropical splendor with which this Lady
of the Southern Seas adorns herself—
this Jamaica, drawing to herself in these
winter days of 1906, the attention of the
travelling world. For people of title
and people of culture, as well as people
whose chief assets are in money, are
coming in numbers limited only by the
capacity of the steamship lines, which
are constantly expanding and as yet are
unable to cope with the problem.

It is interesting, certainly, to mingle
for a short period with the varied na-
tionalities and the varied personalities
that congregate on the piazzas of the
big hotels. Americans, of course, pre-
dominate—they are nearer in point of
time to Jamaica, but one sees frequently
visitors from the Old World, who carry
in their bearing unmistakable signs of
the European tourist.

Yet of all this collection of visitors
who bear the story of their past so legi-
bly inscribed on features and manners,
one soon wearies. The flash of dia-
monds on plebeian hands pales rapidly
in splendor when compared with the
opalescent glory of a mountain stream;
the "Strife of Tongues" grow hateful
within sound of the curling wave as it
melodiously laps the beach, beautiful
with tropical vines and blossoms. And
the architecture of the grand hotels, lux-
urious and commodious as they are and
prolific in those "creature comforts"
that appeal so strongly to civilization's
spoiled children, yet fails to inspire the
interest that attaches to the curious and
picturesque cabins of the Natives, or the
fascinating bird-cage-like huts of the
coolies.

Therefore it is that one finds the true
delight of touring in Jamaica by going
apart from the busy and noisy life of
the tourist centres, getting glimpses of
the lives of the inhabitants, and viewing
the landscape, so novel to northern eyes,
so beneficent in its aspect towards hu-
manity. Those who have tried it as-
sert that a horse back ride is the most
satisfactory in its results, for one may
go alone for his communion with Na-
ture, or if in a party can maintain at in-
tervals the pleasant fiction that he is
alone. Of course this applies only to the
true lover of Nature and to him who
has resources in his own soul—not to the
individual whose chief enjoyment
lies in exchanging "remarks" with others
of his kind.

Best perhaps of all is the trip taken
in company with a chosen friend or two,
similar in tastes, and knowing when to
speak, realizing that in the face of great
natural beauty "silence is gold." This
companionship, an easy carriage and a
pair of Jamaica horses, fresh for their
work, and one is sure of a delightful
outing, restful, full of interest and rich
in scenery that appeals to all that is ar-
tistic in ones soul.

Such a trip I have just enjoyed—and
the memory of its delights will long
abide. Fancy a winding road, cut in
most of its length along the side of a
hill, the hill thickly covered with tropi-
cal foliage in varied tones of green.
Here and there on the slope, to right or
to left, a path leads up or down, to a
tiny house of simplest architecture. At
door or window or on the rude piazza
are seen the mother and children of the
little home, looking with smiling interest
at the "buckra" riding by. Do they
dream of themselves going one day to
"the States"—that wonderful land where
money is as plentiful as bananas are
here? Little they know of the struggles
that await the poor man's family in the
land of Dollars—for here no one is
really poor. Nature is so lavish in gifts
for primitive needs—fuel is not needed,
clothing in smallest quantity, food is
provided by so many plants and trees.
All of these things one speculates while
returning the bows and hand wavings
of the gentle natives who add so much
to the picture.

The great beauty of these drives in
Jamaica lies in the unexpected distances
that by means of the winding of the
roads come every now and then to view.
The road of Golden Vale, the latest of
my enjoyable outings in the "Island of
Sunshine," gives one delightful and fre-
quent views of long stretches of moun-
tains, most attractive in their softly ir-
regular outlines. Green are these moun-
tains to the highest point of their round-
topped peaks—verdure-clad all the way,
cutting to the view, brilliantly clear in
the tropical sunshine, with occasional
patches of shadow where the great
masses of white cloud cut off for a time
the golden sunlight, as they rove on
their voyages of discovery across the
blue sky.

On the way to the Golden Vale the
traveller has the novel experience of
fording the Rio Grande. When there is
no freshet this is easily accomplished,
sitting comfortably in the carriage while
the sure-footed horses or mules splash
leisurely through the clear water, rip-
pling over its bed of loose stones. This
easy, and to me exhilarating method,
was ours yesterday, but in times of high
water the driver takes his team across
and passengers are carried in a boat.
We saw several men engaged in add-
ing the finishing touches to a raft of
green bamboo and our driver said peo-
ple could be taken over the river on the
raft if they chose, but it appeared as if
one should be dressed in a bathing suit
for such a trip. While crossing the
ford one has charming views up and
down river.

Golden Vale is a large banana plan-
tation, one of the many belonging to the
famous United Fruit Company. For
some time after crossing the Rio Grande
the house of the "bushier" may be seen
on its rise of ground and as we approach
the entrance a new feature in the land-
scape causes exclamations of delight. A
rambling, ruined building of stone comes
into view, grey and grim itself, but
serving as a foothold for lovely green
vines and ferns, which cling confidently
about the empty window casements and
doorways. The old buildings were once
seats of great activity in the days of
sugar plantations in Jamaica. Many of
the old forsaken sugar plantations have
been taken over by the United Fruit
people and converted into banana plan-
tations.

Just before we entered Golden Vale a
pretty bit of native life interested us.
Coming down the driveway from the
bushier's house were a black woman and
her little child, some three years of age.
As the woman, followed by the child,
approached the shallow streamlet that
separated the path from the highway,

she picked up a big stone, evidently with
the intention of placing it in the water
for a stepping stone. "Oh, that is for
the baby to step on," said I—"No, in-
deed," said one of my companions, "she
won't bother herself about the baby—
that's for herself." And so it proved.
The woman threw the stone midway in
the stream and placing one foot upon it,
hopped onto dry land, not even glance-
ing back at the baby. Baby sturdily
plunged its bare, black little feet
into the water, pattered through like a
happy duckling and catching up with
the mother, both stood gazing with in-
terest at the "buckra," who gazed at
them as on a living picture, which in-
deed they were.

Just then the "bushier" on a hand-
some mount, rode up behind us and we
bowed and spoke with him. He was a
white man with a "yankee" tongue and
politely told us we might drive in to
the plantation and view the ruin at
closer range.

This we did, crossing the little stream
and taking a bit of roading that ran be-
tween the two principal portions of the
old sugar factory. And the profuse green
growth gleams frequently, the scarlet
glory of the Hibiscus blossom and the
gorgeous Poinsettia. Often one sees
blossoms of delicate hue, white, pink or
yellow, and more suggestive of the dar-
ling blossoms of our own Northern
climes. These "touches of Nature" that
make the world akin" save us, in a tropi-
cal land where all is lavish and gor-
geous, from feeling that we are too far
from home. Earth is still our Father's
House, whether in the North land or
the South land—whether we wander
East or wander West.

Jeannette A. Grant.
Port Antonio, Jamaica.
February 26, 1906.

Among Women

At the regular meeting of the Aub-
urn Review Club March 20 Brown-
ing's Patriotic Poems, The Patriot, Why
I am a Liberal, The Italians in England,
Hedippides, The Heretic's Tragedy,
Protus, Clive, Balanston's Adventure,
were considered by Mrs. Turner, Mrs.
Haddock, Mrs. Bridgman and Mrs.
Ruggles assisted by three ladies sang the
Cavalier Tunes.

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High School Notes

The Newton High School baseball
schedule is as follows:
April 13, Noble school at Newton.
April 16, Arlington High at Newton.
April 18, Roxbury Latin at Newton.
April 19, Wellesley High at Newton.
April 23, Wakefield High at Newton.
April 27, Rindge M. T. S. at Newton.
April 28, Gloucester High at Newton.
May 1, Mechanic Arts at Newton.
May 3, Winchester High at Newton.
May 5, Waltham High at Newton.
May 8, Stone school at Newton.
May 11, Boston Latin at Newton.
May 14, St. Mark's at Southboro.
May 16, Concord High at Newton.
May 18, *Brookline High (undecided)
May 22, *Cambridge Latin at New-
ton.
May 25, Tufts College 2nd at Newton.
May 28, Worcester Academy at New-
ton.
June 30, Brookline High at Newton.
June 1, Thayer Academy at Newton.
June 5, *Cambridge Latin (undecid-
ed).
June 7, Lynn High at Newton.
June 9, open.
*Preparatory league games.

The Pierian Club held its second
"Gentlemen's Night" Thursday evening
March 15. It was a bowling party and
took place in the clubhouse at Newton
Highlands. The decorations and favors
were in green in honor of St. Patrick
and the color was more pronounceable
in that the ladies wore green belts and
bows in their hair. The first prize was
won by Mr. Alex. Dresser with a score
of 99, while Prof. Scoville received the
consolation prize, his score being —
we won't say, for that would be too bad.
The ladies in charge served ice cream,
cake, salted peanuts and fruit punch, the
color scheme being followed out in the
refreshments.

The committee were grateful for the
large attendance, considering the snow-
storm which was upon us.
All voted the party a great success,
but how could it have been otherwise
with the President of the Club, Mrs.
Hemphill, as chairman of the Commit-
tee of arrangements.

The last regular meeting of the Pier-
ian Club was held March 21. A business
meeting was first in order at the home
of Mrs. Bernard Billings and from
there the club adjourned at 3.30 to meet
in the hall of the Ralph Waldo Emerson
school to listen to a "Story-telling Re-
cital" given by Mrs. C. E. Guild of
Braggville, Mass. The pupils and teach-
ers of the building were the guests of
the club. Following the recital an infor-
mal reception was held and light re-
freshments served by the club.

The Alliance Tea given by the Chan-
ning Branch on Monday afternoon was
the most successful of the season. Mrs.
John A. Bellows of Boston gave a fine
paper upon "The Religion of the Young
Person." A large number of the mem-
bers were present and guests from the
Methodist church and from Newton
Centre, West Newton and Stoneham.

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nishes the acme of luxury.

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tough, and with an appearance of
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Clubs and Lodges

Newton Lodge 92, I. O. O. F. will
give a public whist next Thursday eve-
ning, March 29th; will serve ice cream
and cake.

Tennysen Rebekah Lodge 119 of West
Newton will give their second invita-
tion dance on Tuesday evening, March
27th in Odd Fellows hall, West Newton.

The second invitation dance of Ten-
nyson Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F. will
be held in Odd Fellows' hall, West
Newton, Tuesday evening. Dancing will
be from 8 to 12, music, Allen and
Knowlton's orchestra.

Newton Lodge I. O. O. F. will hold
a whist party in Odd Fellows' hall, West
Newton, Thursday evening, March 29,
from 8 to 10.30. The committee in charge
consists of F. J. Chapin, M. C. Newell,
O. J. Locke, H. Tole and M. A. Berry.

W. D. Lovell Dead.

Wallace D. Lovell, a prominent resi-
dent of this city, and a former well
known business man, died Monday, af-
ter an illness of four months' duration,
at his home on Leux street, West
Newton.

Mr. Lovell was born in Weymouth,
Feb. 2, 1854 the son of Daniel and Emily
Lovell. He received his education in
the public schools, and later engaged in
the banking business in Boston. Eventu-
ally he became a partner in the firm of
Potter, Lovell & Co., bankers and bro-
kers.

After the firm retired from business
Mr. Lovell passed some time in Mexico.
On returning he became interested in
street railways, and gained fame as a
promoter and constructor of these roads
in New Hampshire.

In recent years he had not been en-
gaged in active business, but was a
stockholder in a number of companies.
In 1880 he was married to Caroline N.
Whitten. Their family consists of six
children, Mrs. John M. Francis of Troy,
N. Y., and Madge C. Faith, Walter, En-
driott R. and Philip G. of West Newton.
Mr. Lovell was a member of the New-
ton, the Derryfield and the Brae Burn
clubs, and of the Massachusetts Street
Railway Association.

Funeral services were held from his
late residence at one o'clock yesterday
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—Mr. M. G. Hussey has purchased of A. D. S. Bell, his two houses located on Cabot street.

—The young daughter of Mr. F. S. Holbrook of Walnut street is ill with scarlet fever.

—Mr. Horace B. Parker and family have moved into their future residence on Grove Hill avenue.

—Wednesday night of this week, Rev. Albert Hammett preached at a Lenten service in Malden.

—At the Universalist church next Sunday, Rev. Albert Hammett's topic will be Why I am a Universalist.

—Mr. Levi Cooley of Prescott street has returned from the West. Mrs. Cooley is sojourning in California.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. McAdoo of Kensington street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—The Universalist Mission Circle will meet at the parish-house next Wednesday afternoon, March 28th at 2.30.

—Mr. Louis E. Moore of Madison avenue has purchased the Lawrence house on Church street, Newton, and will move there with his family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cushing of Court street, who were burned out last week will be with Mrs. Eliza Bradford on Washington terrace for a few weeks.

—A meeting of the Neotes Club was held Wednesday evening in the vestry of Central church. Prof. James B. Taylor was the guest of the club and gave a program of readings.

—The Misses Louise Greenidge and Edith Mowry gave a dancing party to the members of their club on St. Patrick's evening. The hall was appropriately decorated in green and the matrons were Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Greenidge.

—The young men's class at Central church next Sunday will continue the study of the topic, "The World's Greatest Young Man." The special theme will be, "Jesus Sends Out His Assistants."

—Miss Alice Hollister Clark's dancing class finished the season by holding an enjoyable masquerade in Temple hall last Friday evening. About 30 guests were present and dancing was enjoyed from 8.30 to 12.

—At a business meeting of the New England Association of Teachers in English held in Jacob Sleeper hall, Boston, last Saturday Mr. Samuel Thurber, Jr., was elected a member of the Executive Committee. Superintendent F. E. Spaulding of the Newton schools led the general discussion which followed.

—The Boston District of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held a convention at the Methodist church Thursday morning and afternoon.

Among the speakers were Miss Clara Cushman, Miss Liana O. Rice, Mrs. William Butler and Rev. Dr. G. E. Stokes.

—The Wesley Club held an "Open Night," meeting Monday evening in the vestry of the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Squier gave an illustrated talk on the South and the audience sang plantation melodies.

—A number of Newton ladies participated in the play and vaudeville given in Horticultural hall, Boston, Friday evening under the direction of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union. Mrs. Walter Warren, Mrs. John Carter and Mrs. Charles Theodore Cutting had character parts in the one act farce, "Black or Yellow," and in the vaudeville Mrs. Warren gave one of her original monologues.

—At St. John's Church this afternoon Rev. R. T. Loring will speak in the course on, "Side Lights on Hard Sayings from the Prayer Book," on "The Laying on of Hands." Next Sunday afternoon Rev. Theodore Irving Reese of St. Michael's church, Brighton, will be the Lenten speaker and the following Wednesday evening Rev. Henry B. Washburn of St. Mark's Church, Worcester.

Newtonville.

—Otto Coke, 10c bags. At grocers.

—Mrs. Charles W. Sellick has returned from a trip to New York and Connecticut.

—Mrs. W. B. Lincoln of Lowell avenue is able to be out after her recent illness.

—Miss Lulu Stone of Walnut street is spending the week with friends in Philadelphia.

—Mr. Philip W. Carter and family, who have been spending the winter out of town have returned to their home on Highland avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hobart Clark have returned from their wedding trip and are guests of Mrs. Clark's mother Mrs. W. P. Upham of Highland avenue.

—Rev. A. L. Squier will be a guest and the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the Park avenue Methodist church in Worcester next Monday evening.

—Mr. Donald Macomber, who is a member of the senior class of Harvard University, is scheduled in the provisional assignment of Commencement parts.

—The official board of the Methodist church have voted to hold the annual church banquet Thursday evening, March 29th. The finance committee is in charge of the arrangements.

—Miss Cora Carter of Washington park was the vocal soloist and her sister Miss Stella Carter, violinist, at the meeting of the Boston District Woman's Foreign Missionary Society on Thursday.

—The Travellers Club will meet with Mrs. Blomfield Monday afternoon, March 26th. Mrs. Blomfield will present a paper on the "Music of Denmark," and Mrs. Chase's paper will be on, "Thorwaldsen." Mrs. Brown will give the reading for the afternoon.

—At the next meeting of the Universalist Men's Club Rev. Albert L. Squier will give an illustrated lecture on Scenes from the Sunny South. The May meeting will be observed as "Ladies' Night" when members will be privileged to invite their lady friends to the supper.

—The regular meeting of the Every Saturday Club was held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boyden on Walnut street. The Greek play, "The Frogs," by Aristophanes was considered and portions of it read by Messrs J. T. Prince, W. C. Boyden, R. C. Gibbs, A. P. Walker and Prof. J. B. Taylor.

—Rev. A. L. Squier will continue his special series of sermons at the Methodist church next Sunday evening by request and will preach on, "Bartered Birthrights." Mrs. Kilekie Bradbury of Boston will be the soloist and will render these selections: "O Divine Redeemer" by Gounod; "Jerusalem" from St. Paul by Mendelssohn and "Ave Maria" by Bach-Gounod, with violin obligato. Miss Rosa Weidorn will be the violinist.

—Mr. John Wade Bailey, an old resident of Newton, passed away at the home of his son Mr. Edward W. Bailey on Cabot street, last Tuesday after a brief illness. He was 80 years of age. Deceased was in the banking business for many years having been connected with the Boylston National Bank in Boston. He is survived by two sons. A service of prayer was held from the house Thursday morning at 10.45 Rev. E. F. Snell of West Newton and Rev. Mr. Wiggins of Boston officiating and the remains were taken to North Scituate for the funeral and burial.

—An enthusiastic meeting of the Membership Committee of the Newtonville Improvement Association was held at the Newton Clubhouse Tuesday evening. 23 gentlemen sat down to dinner and listened to reports from the chairmen of the different neighborhoods in our village. A systematic canvas of the ward is under way, and new members are coming in rapidly. Over 50 additions were reported at this meeting. It was voted to continue the canvas and urge the claims of the association upon every family. Suggestions for the kind of improvements the Association should undertake were made and every adult in our community is asked to identify himself with this Association and suggest

how the Association can benefit him and his neighborhood. The principal officers are John R. Prescott, president; Albert P. Carter, secretary and Geo. W. Auryansen, treasurer, who will gladly furnish any desired information regarding the movement.

Lindsay-Adams.

The wedding of Miss Ruth Adams the daughter of Mrs. Edward A. Adams of Boston, and a grand-daughter of the late George Frost, to Mr. Lennox H. Lindsay, the son of Prof. and Mrs. Thomas B. Lindsay of West Newton, took place last evening at the West Newton Unitarian church, and was witnessed by a large number of friends of the young couple. The church was effectively decorated with jonquils, Easter lilies and laurel and music was rendered by Mr. Adams at the organ, while Miss Patterson sang most acceptably.

The bride was gowned in liberty white satin, with point venise lace and wore a lace veil with the conventional orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended by Mrs. Charles W. Allen of Louisville, Ky., a sister of the groom, as matron of honor, dressed in white satin and gold, and carrying a basket of sweet peas. The bridesmaids, gowned in white lace and gold trimmings and with bouquets of jonquils were Miss Marie F. Phelps, Miss Margery W. Phelps of Boston and Miss Eleanor R. Frost and Miss Lois R. Frost of West Newton, all cousins of the bride. The best man was Mr. John F. C. McCarthy of Boston and the ushers were Messrs Charles W. Allen of Louisville, Ky., Charles F. Bacon of Providence, R. I., E. Hosmer Hammond of Newton Centre, E. Werson Adams of Boston, Walter M. Hastings of Lawrence and Andrew S. Woods of West Newton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. John W. Lindsay.

Following the ceremony there was a largely attended reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Frost, Chestnut street, West Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay will reside at Concord, Mass., where they will be at home on the first and third Wednesdays after May 1st.

West Newton.

—Otto Coke, 10c bags. At grocers.

—Mr. W. G. Bell has received a patent on a bag or package.

—Mr. John Sheehan of Newton is the new clerk at the post office.

—Mr. John A. Bruce has been quite ill the past week at his home on Margin street.

—Mr. Ogden R. Adams of Otis street left Monday for a trip to Seattle, Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. James McKissock of Sewall street are away for the benefit of Mr. McKissock's health.

—Chase & Sanborn teas and coffees for sale at Allen's Market. Bring in the cards and receive the allowance.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Colligan of Washington street are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cushing this week.

—Miss Knowlton entertained the Young Woman's Club at her home on Hillside avenue, Thursday afternoon.

—Mrs. Henry W. Crafts of River street has returned from the Newton hospital and is much improved in health.

—Mrs. Charles W. Leatherbee entertained a party of friends at her home on Mount Vernon street Tuesday afternoon.

—A social, in charge of the young men of the parish, will be held this evening at the Second Congregational church.

—A meeting of the Munday Club was held Monday evening at the residence of Rev. Dr. T. P. Prudden on Winthrop street.

—Mrs. E. B. Wilson of Otis street entertained a party of Cambridge and Brookline friends at a luncheon whist last Saturday.

—The Ladies Mission Circle of the Lincoln Park Baptist church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Inman on Auburn street.

—In the home gymnasium last Friday the Allen school basketball team was defeated by the Watertown second team by a score of 26 to 15.

—Dr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Jack of Washington street are receiving the congratulations of their many friends in the recent arrival of a daughter.

—Miss Titus, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at the home of her sister Mrs. Jarvis Lanson on Temple street is recovering and is able to be out.

—Eighty young people enjoyed a delightful dance at the North Gate Club, last Saturday evening, given by the young ladies of the Misses Allen's school.

—Mrs. Harry L. Burrage gave a dinner party at her home on Temple street Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Ruth Adams. A number of ladies of the society set were present.

—Mr. and Mrs. Laurence A. Sprague held their first wedding at home Wednesday from 8 to 10 at 17 Perkins street. The second at home will be held Wednesday, March 28th.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Felton of Highland avenue were guests of the Phi Chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma at the Klatsch Collegium held at Boston University Friday evening.

—Miss Evelyn Carter of Mount Vernon street was among the passengers sailing on the Romanic of the White Star line last Saturday for Naples and other points in southern Europe.

—Miss Myrtle L. Morse, for the past 14 years a clerk in the dry goods store now owned by F. A. Potter & Co., has resigned to take a similar position with F. D. Tarleton & Co. at Newton Lower Falls.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Irving Clark have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter Miss Meta Clark to Mr. Clifton Felton Leatherbee of West Newton to take place Thursday, April 5th in Paterson, N. J.

—Mr. Frederick A. Frost, chauffeur for Mr. Henry B. Day is on his way to Europe where he will meet the Day party at some point on the Mediterranean. From there an extended automobile tour will be made through southern Europe.

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—There was a large attendance at the social held in the parlors of the Unitarian church last Friday evening. A musical program was rendered by the Tech Glee, Mandolin and Banjo Clubs and was followed by refreshments and dancing.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederic A. Potter of Austin street were guests of Mrs. Potter's father Mr. H. W. Otis in Watertown Monday evening. The affair was a dinner party and was to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Otis and his daughter Mrs. Potter.

—Mrs. Edward Gately will have the sympathy of her friends in the death of her son, Joseph H. Gately, at the family residence on River street last Wednesday. The lad was 14 years of age and had been suffering from heart trouble for some time.

—The fourth in the series of subscription dinner dances was held at the Burn Country Club Wednesday evening. Nearly 100 guests were present and the affair opened with an informal reception in the parlors. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock and dancing followed until midnight. The house committee in charge of the dance was W. B. H. Dowse, B. S. Palmer and Harry L. Ayer.

Newton.

—Mr. William F. Johnson is recovering from a touch of paralysis received last Friday.

—Mr. William M. Paxton, the well known artist has been appointed instructor at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

—Rev. Chas. W. Wendle is a guest of Mrs. Chas. J. Brown, during his stay in Newton. Mrs. Brown is a cousin of Mrs. Wendle.

—Mr. Henry C. Daniels has presented the Higgle School with a fine picture of the Lion of Lucerne in memory of his son, Milton, who was a pupil of the 7th grade.

—Rev. James Kelley of Washington street was among the prominent clergymen who assisted at the funeral of Rev. P. J. Daly held in Roxbury, Wednesday morning.

—Mr. C. E. Currier has the contract for the new Bothfield apartment house on Centre street. Mr. Currier was also a prominent bidder for the new court house at Portland, Me.

—At the evening service of the Immanuel Baptist church next Sunday the soloist will be Miss Edith Wye of Boston. Miss Wye is a beautiful and effective singer. Sermon by the pastor of the church.

—Mrs. J. Wesley Barber has issued invitations to the retiring officers and committees of the Social Science Club to a reception at her home on Summit street, Friday afternoon, March 30, from 3 to 5.

—Pupils of Miss E. P. Warren gave an enjoyable piano recital at the residence of Mr. W. M. Ferris last Saturday. Those participating were Audie A. Currier, Miriam Bacon, William Ferris, Ella Marshall, Elizabeth Fuller, Naomi Hewitt, Constance Reed and Marjorie Smith.

Hunnewell Club

The ladies bowling tournament has been won by Mrs. Howard's team consisting of Mrs. Howard, Miss Manning and Mrs. Dana, with a score of 23 wins and 5 defeats. Miss Loring's team, of Miss Coppins, Miss Bessie Soule and Miss Partridge were a close second with 22 wins and 6 defeats. The first prizes were beautiful silver cups and the second prizes were small copper cups trimmed with silver.

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Also another parcel of land situated partly in said Newton and partly in Boston, in said commonwealth, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Edward and Helen L. Winslow, by a line beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Beacon Street distant eight and 80-100 feet Southerly from the stone bound marking the intersection of the boundary line between Newton and Boston, two hundred and forty five and 33-100 feet; Northeasterly by said Beacon Street about five hundred and eight feet; Northeasterly again but more Easterly by land formerly of Daniel S. Ford, now of said commonwealth, three hundred and two feet; Southeasterly by land of the Boston and Albany Railroad, about twelve hundred and four and 42-100 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Grace B. Bliss, two hundred and six and 34-100 feet; Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Ellen F. Hayden and land now or formerly of Elizabeth B. Perkins, one hundred and eighty eight and 34-100 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of said Perkins, three hundred and four and 74-100 feet; and Northerly and westerly by Chestnut Hill Road about five hundred and eighteen feet; containing 47,527 square feet, more or less; be any or all said measurements more or less or however they may be bounded, measured, or described; being the larger part of the land and buildings conveyed to said Harvard Trustees by Fred H. Williams et al Trustees, by deed dated April 23, 1903, and recorded with said Middlesex Deeds, Book 3031, page 328, and with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2896, page 72, and said premises are subject to an agreement as to restrictions set forth in deed from Daniel and Phoebe P. Hayward to E. and H. L. Winslow, dated June 24, 1890, and recorded with said Middlesex deeds, Book 1363, page 136.

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On Wednesday evening, March 28, at the Unitarian church, West Newton, Madame Martinez will give a lecture with musical illustrations of folk and operatic songs covering a period of seven hundred years. The lecture is under the auspices of the West Newton Women's Educational Club for the benefit of its philanthropic work. Tickets may be obtained from the chairman of the music committee, Mrs. Fred Young and other members of the club.

The Newtonville Woman's Guild spent an "Afternoon with Grieg" on Tuesday, Mrs. D. E. Baker, chairman of the music committee, gave a most enjoyable presentation of the composer which was illustrated by vocal and instrumental selections of a high order, by Mrs. Fletcher of Boston, soprano, and the Dvorak Trio consisting of Miss Williams, violinist, Miss Haynes, cellist, and Miss West, piano. The program was enthusiastically received by the large number present who pronounced it a most delightful occasion. Tea was served during the social hour.

Miss Allen of Brookline, former principal of Bradford Academy, gave a most delightful lecture upon "Milan" before the Monday Club of Newton Highlands on Monday afternoon of this week. Miss Allen is an unusually gifted speaker and charmed her audience. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Miller of Duncklee street.

The regular meeting of the Executive Board of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs was held on Monday morning at the New Church parlors, Newtonville, the president, Mrs. C. G. Wetherbee, in the chair. The report of the Social Service committee was of particular interest and will be embodied in the report submitted at the annual meeting of the Federation which will be held on May third, probably at Channing church, Newton. A change in the constitution was proposed to be acted upon at the annual meeting. This change provides for a ten-cent per capita tax for the clubs, based upon the membership of each club May first, to be paid in the fall. It was thought that tax would be more just to the smaller clubs and at the same time give the Federation a little larger sum to work with and do away with the necessity of asking for additional contributions. Notice of this change will be included in the call for the meeting and will be sent later to each club.

The Rhode Island Woman's Club celebrated its Twentieth Anniversary in Providence not long since. The address of the first president, Miss Sarah E. Doyle, is worthy of consideration by clubs beyond the borders of her own state and is given in part below:

The limited time assigned to me will be devoted to a criticism of certain club features and an appreciation of its power for educational and moral development. The club has now reached the mature age of thirty, but not to that period where growth in the line of improvement cannot be an ideal for which it should strive. If there is no ideal, then stagnation and death must ensue.

To me the ideal assembly of women is one where the courtesies of refined society, fair-mindedness, consideration of others' feelings prevail, and not one where there are parties, each trying to overthrow the other, and where derisive laughter sometimes marks the temporary triumph of one side gained when some parliamentary stratagem has given a momentary discomfiture to an opponent.

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WOMAN'S WORLD

On Wednesday evening, March 28, at the Unitarian church, West Newton, Madame Martinez will give a lecture with musical illustrations of folk and operatic songs covering a period of seven hundred years. The lecture is under the auspices of the West Newton Women's Educational Club for the benefit of its philanthropic work. Tickets may be obtained from the chairman of the music committee, Mrs. Fred Young and other members of the club.

The Newtonville Woman's Guild spent an "Afternoon with Grieg" on Tuesday, Mrs. D. E. Baker, chairman of the music committee, gave a most enjoyable presentation of the composer which was illustrated by vocal and instrumental selections of a high order, by Mrs. Fletcher of Boston, soprano, and the Dvorak Trio consisting of Miss Williams, violinist, Miss Haynes, cellist, and Miss West, piano. The program was enthusiastically received by the large number present who pronounced it a most delightful occasion. Tea was served during the social hour.

Miss Allen of Brookline, former principal of Bradford Academy, gave a most delightful lecture upon "Milan" before the Monday Club of Newton Highlands on Monday afternoon of this week. Miss Allen is an unusually gifted speaker and charmed her audience. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Miller of Duncklee street.

The regular meeting of the Executive Board of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs was held on Monday morning at the New Church parlors, Newtonville, the president, Mrs. C. G. Wetherbee, in the chair. The report of the Social Service committee was of particular interest and will be embodied in the report submitted at the annual meeting of the Federation which will be held on May third, probably at Channing church, Newton. A change in the constitution was proposed to be acted upon at the annual meeting. This change provides for a ten-cent per capita tax for the clubs, based upon the membership of each club May first, to be paid in the fall. It was thought that tax would be more just to the smaller clubs and at the same time give the Federation a little larger sum to work with and do away with the necessity of asking for additional contributions. Notice of this change will be included in the call for the meeting and will be sent later to each club.

The Rhode Island Woman's Club celebrated its Twentieth Anniversary in Providence not long since. The address of the first president, Miss Sarah E. Doyle, is worthy of consideration by clubs beyond the borders of her own state and is given in part below:

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made into the corrupt and dishonest methods of transacting business, have felt that to men belonged the disgrace of these revelations; but can women feel themselves free from moral responsibility when they read the pitiful, contemptible revelations which the papers of the past week have given in the trial where the methods of a society paper have been brought to the bar of good judgment. May this club, while it can be justly proud of all it has stood for, begin a new year inspired by the noble thought of President Roosevelt, that "in this world the one thing supremely worth having is the opportunity coupled with the capacity to do well and worthily a piece of work the doing of which is of vital consequence to the welfare of mankind."—Federation Bulletin.

Mrs. Francis B. Hornbroke will give a paper on "Count Rumford, Benjamin Thompson," at the meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday morning, March 28. Guests may be invited.

The Social Science Club spent a second interesting morning on the study of Ruskin, the paper on "The Social Theories of Ruskin," being given by Miss Jennie L. Hamilton. It was a thoughtful presentation of Ruskin's theories and brought out particularly those which have gradually become accepted at the present day, especially in regard to education—that education in and for itself is of little consequence, but as a preparation for life and the development of the whole man is all essential. The discussion after the paper was of great interest. Two autograph letters were shown and read, and Ruskin's personal appearance was described.

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THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The average yearly increase, for the last five years, in the number of enrolled scholars at the High School has been 40. The present enrollment is 947. The maximum number which the building can accommodate, without serious crowding, is 1000. There is no ground for thinking that the future rate of growth will be lessened; and there are indications that it may be increased. Every available foot is in use, and the next move will probably be the utilization of the upper corridor for the seating of scholars. It is, therefore, apparent that not later than September, 1908, the building will be so crowded as to seriously interfere with the proper conduct of the school. That increased facilities must promptly be given is not, it appears to us, open to argument. The situation is one that compels present and thoughtful consideration for no mistake should be made in providing for the future.

And in this connection, we call attention to the Revised Laws, c. 42, sec. 9, which makes it obligatory that a city of Newton's size shall provide manual training instruction in its High School. Doubtless Newton has failed to meet the requirements of this act chiefly because of the expense involved,—and for the further reason that no penalty is exacted for non-compliance with its provisions.

We suggest that careful thought be given to the need, now clearly apparent, of affording technical training in the High School.

Here is a vast educational plant which is not doing all the work along broad lines which the people have a right to expect.

We are strongly of the belief that a building should be erected in the vicinity of the present structure, to be devoted to commercial, manual and technical instruction;—a place where the boy or girl is educated in the use of the hands and the mind rather than the use of the mind alone.

In this way not only would provision be made for the housing of some hundreds of scholars, but, at no considerable increase of cost, a practical education would be afforded many who are now misemployed in the present academic courses, wasting their own time and that of their teachers, and to perhaps a still larger number who now terminate their education in the higher grammar grades.

To recapitulate, we recommend

1. That land for a school building in the Nonantum District be purchased at once and a 16 room building, with assembly hall, be erected thereon this year.

2. That an 8 to 10 room building be erected on land of the city at Newton Highlands, to be ready for occupancy in Sept. '07; that a heating plant be constructed large enough to heat the Hyde and the new building; and that the ventilation of the Hyde School be improved.

3. That immediate consideration be given to the planning of a new building for the High School, adapted to commercial, manual and technical training, and that for this purpose a special joint committee be appointed to investigate and report during the present year.

HENRY E. BOTTIFIELD,
S. E. HOWARD,
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**At the
Theatres**

Coming Attractions

Keith's Theatre—A big vaudeville bill is promised patrons of Keith's for the week of March 26, for it is the anniversary of the opening of that handsome playhouse, the doors having been thrown open to the public March 26, 1894. Bostonians and New Englanders generally are proud of the handsome edifice, and rightly so, for it is known throughout the world as "the model playhouse." Houdini, whose sensational escape from the City Prison of Boston has caused more talk and guesswork than any other entertainer who has been seen in the varieties, will continue to be the sensational feature of a bill that will be conspicuous because of the number of attractions of headline qualities it contains. During the coming six days he will have many new and original "stunts" for amusement-seekers, beside taking all comers who have regulation handkerchiefs. Some of the entertainers in the surrounding bill will be Clifton Crawford, a former member of the "Mother Goose" company, who scored such a tremendous hit at this theatre a few weeks ago that he has been reengaged for another six days, will offer his unique and original monologue, "Linden Beckwith," a talented young lady who sings character songs from a gold frame; Asa, novelty billiard ball manipulator; Ethel MacDonald, the former "drummer girl" with the Fadettes woman's orchestra, in a specialty of her own; Carl Victor, "the perfect man," physical culturist, and Brooks Brothers, eccentric comedians. As usual, an entire new list of comedies and interesting motion pictures will be exhibited in the kinetograph.

Tremont Theatre—"The Heart of Maryland," which David Belasco, who presented next week at the Tremont Theatre, Boston, is one of the most popular dramas ever produced on the American stage, and is this season having its tenth anniversary festival, being equipped with entire new scenery and accessories, and interpreted by a distinguished cast, including Odette Tyler, Edna Wallace Hopper, Orrin Johnson, R. D. McLean, John E. Kellard and Wallace Edgington. The scenes of the play are laid in the latter days of the Civil War at Boonesboro, Md. While the artillery and musketry of the opposing armies confronting each other at this historic spot are thundering forth their lethal messages of death, with a realism such as Belasco only knows how to produce, a sweet tender love song is being sung. It is a beautiful story beautifully told, and with a notable cast is one of the dramatic successes of the season.

Majestic Theatre—The first Shubert attraction at the Majestic Theatre will be the new musical satire "The Social Whirl," written by Charles F. Doy and Joseph Herbert, with music by Gustav Kerker, which will begin a strictly limited engagement at this playhouse on Monday evening, March 20th. "The Social Whirl" is by far the most important musical production of the year as it is destined for the Spring and Summer attractions at the New York Casino. The lavish Shubert management has equipped this piece with the most complete and gorgeous production ever disclosed on a Boston stage and every device of stagecraft has been exhausted to make "The Social Whirl" the most strikingly novel and effective offering of its kind. The chorus of 100 voices is the most complete ensemble of feminine loveliness ever presented in a single organization. The music written by Mr. Kerker is quite the most melodious and catchy that this composer has given us since his world famous "Belle of New York" Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday.

DIED.

FULLER—In Newton Centre, March 18, Julia S., wife of Stephen Fuller, aged 70 yrs.

FORBES—In Boston, March 17, Clarence Bushner Forbes of Auburndale, aged 25 yrs.

CLIFFORD—In Auburndale, March 18, Frederick, infant son of Paul and Ethel Clifford.

LOVELL—In West Newton, March 19, Wallace D. Lovell, aged 52 yrs.

BAILEY—In Newtonville, March 20, John Wade Bailey, aged 80 yrs, 4 mos, 20 ds.

**BENEATH THE
GILDED DOME.**

The Committee on Probate and Chancery of the legislature is just at present located at the edge of the storm, by reason of the action of that body in rejecting a measure to protect young girls from the dance halls in Boston. Of course one naturally wonders that John B. Moran is not in touch on this great evil in the social life of his district, the evil that Rev. Dr. Henson, pastor of Tremont Temple, alluded to as follows: destruction for these young girls who are drawn to them, and some one ought to be willing to put on the brakes. I think that the action of the committee in regard to that bill was extraordinary and it looks as if someone must have a pull. The committee is composed of very respectable gentlemen, a majority of whom are entitled to an explanation for their action in this matter. They have already made a pull on this, and they may have good reasons, or at least a reason of some sort, which would be considered in legislative practice, as a good reason. The scriptures have something to say about somebody who was busy here and there, and in consequence missed one of the chances of his life. That describes very graphically a legislative expedient. Many members of the General Court seem to feel that their duties call for their being so busy here and there as to neglect committee responsibilities. To be sure, Probate and Chancery may have other excuses for this remarkable action in giving leave to withdraw on this matter; if so, they ought to give equal publicity with the action which has caused so much criticism. Dr. Henson's suggestion that some one must have a pull on this respectable committee, ought to be met with a mighty good affidavit. Representative Evans says that every man on the committee is of the highest character and moral standing. Even such an aggregation of legislators as this described by one of the members should have honorable mention in every respectable newspaper. Here are their names: Senators Chappell, Reed and Cusick; Representatives Evans, Edwards, Northampton, McManus, Lowney, Walsh, McKnight, Teeling and Hagarty.

The present week will witness the great fight that is expected to be made over the twenty-one day bill, the bill amending the street law, and the bill relating to screens in the windows of pharmacists. The contest will probably not end with the close of the week, for there is a strong element composed of men who are not in favor of continuing special legislation, and there is a well defined belief that there is a good deal of special legislation in the bills proposed. There is not a demand throughout the State, outside of Boston, for any change in existing laws. This view will be held by many beside the out and out temperance people. Let the demand for longer business hours come from others than those engaged in the liquor business in Boston.

Friday morning of last week, as the members of the legislature started for the State House after the snow storm of the night previous, they encountered an automobile stalled on Tremont Street, which was about half buried in snow and ice. Judging from the variety of remarks made by those viewing the spectacle, one might conclude that automobile interests in the proposed legislation would find about one in ten defying the machine. One member said, as he looked at the helpless and motionless car: "That is about the rate of speed that those machines ought to be allowed to go on the highways." Another one said: "That is the first automobile I ever saw on Tremont Street that it was safe to go in front of."

That was rather a cute remark made by Chairman Jackson of the Railroad Commission, at a hearing before the Railroad Committee the other day, when he replied to a complaint made by one of the members engaged in reforming the methods in use by the railroad in conducting the transportation business, by the state. Mr. Jackson, who is the acknowledged leader of all the commissioners in the service of the state, referred to the complaint that nothing would be done if the matter was left to the Commission, very quietly said: "Well, we seem to be pretty busy doing nothing."

Edgar J. Bliss.

Correspondence

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

Concerning the proposed improvements which have been talked about in the several parts of Newton, it is interesting to note the result of similar improvements in Cambridge several years ago in the construction of the Cambridge Field.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To Johanna Kelly, wife of Thomas Kelly of Waltham, in said County of Middlesex: WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court by Edward Y. Kelly alleging that the said Thomas Kelly has become incapacitated by reason of advanced age and mental weakness to properly care for his property, and praying that Nathan A. Tufts be appointed guardian of the person and some other suitable person, may be appointed conservator of his property, agreeably to law in such case made and provided; and it is ordered that the petitioner give notice to the said Johanna Kelly to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any she has, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted; or if she has, why the conditions therein contained, should not be enforced; and to deliver to her such copy of her usual place of abode, or by mail, the same to her at her last known post-office address fourteen days, at least, before said Court; and also, unless it shall be ordered by the Court by which said petition is presented, to publish the same once in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To all persons interested in any of the real estate of John H. Putnam, late of Newton in said County, deceased intestate: WHEREAS Emma E. Putnam and Emma E. Putnam, granddaughters of John H. Putnam, all of Newton in the County of Middlesex, have presented to said Court a petition, representing that they are the widow and heirs-at-law of Granville B. Putnam, who was the husband of said deceased lying in this Commonwealth; and that the whole of said real estate does not exceed the value of five hundred dollars; and praying that the whole of said real estate which is described in said petition may be assigned to said Emma E. Putnam by the Court according to law.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the said petition should not be granted. And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days at least, before said Court; and if any one cannot be so found, by publishing the same in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**LAND COURT.**

To Martha A. Jackson, Florence M. Ball, Francis A. Ball, Clara J. Ball and William B. Kenney, all of Newton in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth: WHEREAS said Martha A. Jackson, Florence M. Ball, Francis A. Ball, Clara J. Ball and William B. Kenney, all of Newton in the County of Middlesex, have presented to said Court a petition, representing that they are the widow and heirs-at-law of Granville B. Putnam, who was the husband of said deceased lying in this Commonwealth; and that the whole of said real estate does not exceed the value of five hundred dollars; and praying that the whole of said real estate which is described in said petition may be assigned to said Emma E. Putnam by the Court according to law.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the said petition should not be granted. And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days at least, before said Court; and if any one cannot be so found, by publishing the same in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James H. Nickerson to the Newton Savings Bank, dated December 19th, 1900, and recorded in Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 294, Page 16, for breach of the condition therein contained and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises now covered by said mortgage, on Monday, the second day of April, 1906, at four o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, excepting such portions thereof as are released by partial releases dated and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds respectively as follows, viz.: Partial Release dated June 16, 1903, duly recorded in Book 393, Page 412; Partial Release dated September 22, 1903, duly recorded in Book 392, Page 36; and Partial Release dated December 8, 1903, duly recorded in Book 392, Page 518.

The premises now covered by said mortgage and to be sold as aforesaid being:—All the following lots of land situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, called Auburndale, shown as the Lots One, Three, Eighteen and Nineteen on a plan of Land in Auburndale, Newton, drawn by William H. Jackson, dated September 25th, 1875, and duly recorded. Lots One, Three, Eighteen and Nineteen are together bounded:—Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Evergreen Avenue by Lot Two on said plan, and running Northwesterly by said Evergreen Avenue in two lines Twenty-nine and 5-10 (29.5) feet and One hundred and seventy-nine and 4-10 (179.9) feet; thence running Northwesterly by the curve forming the junction of said Evergreen Avenue and Auburn Street, thence running Westerly by said Auburn Street Two hundred and sixty-two and 2-10 (262.2) feet and by the curve of said Auburn Street and Oakland Avenue Two hundred and eighty-three (283) feet to Lot Seventeen on said plan; thence turning and running Southeasterly by Lots Seventeen and Four on said plan, Two hundred and sixty (260) feet to Evergreen Avenue, thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Evergreen Avenue Eighty (80) feet to Lot Two on said plan; thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Lot Two One hundred and thirty (130) feet thence turning and running Northwesterly by said Lot Two Eighty (80) feet; thence turning and running Southeasterly by said Lot One hundred and thirty (130) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 52,489 square feet.

Reference for title may be had to a deed under power of sale to said Nickerson, dated November 23, 1900, and duly recorded, with said mortgage. Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments.

\$300 in time and place of sale.

NEWTON SAVINGS BANK.

By Adolphus J. Blanchard, Treasurer.

Boston, March 6, 1906.

First National Bank, A. T. N.

31 Milk Street, Boston, Mass.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Charles W. Higgins to the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to William Power Wilson, of Boston in the County of Middlesex, Trustees under the will of Mary H. Wilson, dated and recorded in Middlesex Registry of Deeds, So. Dist., in book 204, page 474; and assigned by said William Power Wilson to the County of Middlesex, to Charles W. Higgins, to Lyman A. Ely, of Worcester in the County of Worcester, by an assignment dated November 12, 1897, and recorded in said Registry of Deeds in book 204, page 474, and assigned by said Lyman A. Ely to Edward T. Esty of said Worcester, by an assignment, dated March 5, 1906, and recorded in said Registry of Deeds, for breach of the conditions therein contained, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, No. 235 Melrose St., Auburndale, Massachusetts, on Wednesday, the 5th day of April, 1906, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on the westerly side of Melrose Street in that part of Newton, Middlesex County aforesaid, called Auburndale, and being lot numbered fourteen (14) on a Plan of Land in Auburndale belonging to Charles W. Higgins, Walter C. Stevens, surveyor, July, 1891, and bounded, further described and measuring as follows:—Beginning on said Street at a corner of lot numbered thirteen (13) on said plan, thence the boundary line runs Westerly on said lot thirteen (13) Eighty-two and 1-10 (82.1) feet to lot numbered six (6) on said plan; thence the boundary line runs Northwesterly on said lot six (6) and on lot numbered four (4) on said plan, forty-nine and 10-100 (49.1) feet to lot numbered fifteen (15) on said plan; thence turns and runs Easterly on said lot fifteen (15) to the corner of said lot and runs Northwesterly on said Street fifty-two (52) feet to the point of beginning. Containing according to said plan 4,322 square feet of land. The above premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, assessments or other incumbrances which constitute a lien thereon prior to said mortgage. Terms, one hundred dollars in cash and balance in three equal payments upon the delivery of the deed at the office of Hopkins & Esty, 340 Main St., Worcester, Mass., within ten days thereafter.

E. H. ALLEN, T. E. BRYAN.

Assignee and owner of said mortgage.

Hopkins & Esty, Attorneys, 340 Main St., Worcester, Mass.

John A. Potter, Auctioneer, Tremont Block, Boston, Mass.

Worcester, Mass., March 7, 1906.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of June H. Putnam, late of Newton in said County, deceased: WHEREAS, Maurice P. White, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of June H. Putnam, late of Newton in said County, deceased: WHEREAS, Maurice P. White, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John Armstrong late of Newton in said County, deceased: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Julia Armstrong, the widow of said deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to said Julia Armstrong.

MARY J. SCHOFIELD, Executrix.

Address Newtonville, Mass.

February 28, 1906.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

MIDDLESEX, ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Howard Williams, late of Newton, in said County, deceased intestate: WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to the said William H. Jenkins of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**PROBATE COURT.**

To all persons who are or may become interested in the estate hereinafter mentioned, held in trust under the will of Joseph W. Plimpton, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and to all persons whose issue not now being may become interested: WHEREAS, A. Stuart Pratt and Frederick J. Rianell, trustees under said will, have presented to said Court their petition praying that they may be authorized to sell, either at public or private sale, certain real estate held by them as such trustees situated in Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and particularly described in said petition, for the reasons therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**

that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate not already administered of Alma S. Lamb, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to said Charles R. Lamb, Adm.

Address, 31 Bedford Street.

Boston, Mass.

Boston, March 12, 1906.

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—Mr. A. J. McDonald will break ground soon for a new residence on Montvale road.
—Mr. Frank G. Day and family of Ashton avenue will make their future home in Cornish, Me.
—Mr. Bertrand E. Taylor of Grant avenue returned this week from a sojourn at Pinehurst, N. C.
—Mrs. Herbert A. Thayer has been spending a few weeks with Mrs. Charles L. Smith of Moreland avenue.
—Mr. Allen Hubbard of Commonwealth avenue has had plans drawn for a new house on Montvale circle.
—Mr. Barclay Tilton is having an automobile house built on his estate on Suffolk road, near Hammond street.
—Judge Elmer C. Patterson of Minnesota is the guest of his wife Grace Dickinson Patterson of Centre street.
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clement, who have been spending a part of the winter season in Boston, have opened their residence on Warren street.
—Mrs. G. S. Mumford and Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall, both of Chestnut hill were passengers on the Romantic which sailed last Saturday for Liverpool.
—At the convention in the interests of Consular reform held in Washington last week Hon. J. R. Leeson was elected a member of the National Committee.

—A successful sale of cake and candy was held under the auspices of the ladies, in the Unitarian church parlors last Saturday afternoon from 2.30 to 5 o'clock.
—In Bray hall Easter Monday night the annual ball of the Garden City Mutual Aid Society, composed of the employees of the Newton Street Railway Company, will be held.
—Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling will continue his series of Lenten addresses on the events of Passion Week at the Methodist church this evening. The theme will be "A Day of Preparation."
—The many friends here of Lieut. Homer B. Grant will be interested to learn that he will receive his promotion to a captaincy in the artillery corps, U. S. A., a vacancy having been made by a recent resignation of one of the officers.

—At the annual meeting of the auxiliary to the McCall Mission in France held recently in Boston, Mrs. Nathan E. Wood was elected a vice president. Mrs. C. C. Burr a member of the executive committee and Mrs. J. C. Dickinson a member of the board of managers.
—The final arrangements have been made for the rendering of Mr. J. Eliot Trowbridge's oratorio, "Paul the Apostle," at the First Baptist church next Sunday afternoon. There will be a chorus of fifty voices and the regular quartette. Mr. John Hermann Lund, the organist, will be the conductor.

—The annual meeting and dinner of the Chestnut Hill Golf Club proved to be a very successful affair and the reports showed the club in a flourishing condition. The officers elected were: President, Dr. George W. Gay; secretary and treasurer, Edwin S. Martin; directors, the above and Dr. Herman T. Baldwin, M. Lewis Crosby and Charles Steadman Hanks.

—Interest is growing regarding the celebration of "Village Night," in Bray hall, next Tuesday evening. Among the invited guests are Mayor Edgar W. Warren, Representative James A. Lowell, Mr. Robert S. Gorham, chairman of the school board, Alderman Frank A. Day, Mr. Charles S. Demmon and the teachers of the schools on the South side. The program will consist of a banquet, addresses, stereoscopic views and a musical program including chorus singing.

The reception given by Mrs. John H. Sanborn of Chase street last week Monday afternoon, to meet her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. S. Foote of Brooklyn, N. Y. was one of the most charming social affairs given this season. Over 400 invitations were issued, and apparently everyone accepted, although a clever division to the time of receiving prevented what would have otherwise been a crush. Mrs. Sanborn was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Foote and Mrs. Fred H. Hovey of Newton Centre. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers, tulips, pink and roses being used in profusion, and the largest of red roses, on the centre glass of the dining table being particularly noticeable. Music by a violin, cello and piano added much to the enjoyment of the afternoon.

Newton Centre.

—The Young People's meeting at the Baptist church next Sunday begins at 7 P. M.
—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bartlett of Commonwealth avenue will make their future home in the Davis house on Beacon street.
—Mr. Gardner C. Crafts of Beacon street, who was recently operated on for appendicitis at the Newton hospital is recovering satisfactorily.
—At the First church last Friday evening Rev. Dr. F. N. Peloubet of Auburndale gave an interesting talk on the subject, "The Lord's Prayer."
—Hon. J. M. W. Haft will be the guest and speaker at the meeting of the Friendly Class at the Auburndale Congregational church next Sunday.
—Mrs. Oscar T. Stevens will have the sympathy of her many friends in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Hoitt, who died Monday at her home in Manchester, N. H.
—Mrs. Julia S. Fuller, wife of Stephen Fuller, died at 88 Manet road on Sunday of pneumonia, after a brief illness. She was 70 years of age. The remains were removed to Boston for the funeral.
—Mrs. Margaret C. Wade of Dedham street has the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in the sudden death from hemorrhage of the brain, yesterday, of her son Robert N. Wade. The lad was eighteen years of age. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Upper Falls.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Alexander are receiving congratulations on the advent of a son born Monday.
—A surprise party was tendered Mr. Alex. Dresser last Wednesday evening the occasion being his birthday.
—Miss Elizabeth Springham who has been confined to the hospital with diphtheria, has returned to her home and will take a much needed rest.

—Next Sunday at the M. E. church, at 10.45, subject, "Behold thy Mother." At 7 Young People's service, subject "Wholesome and Harmless Recreation."
—Mr. F. T. Hodge, the new master of the Emerson school was presented with a handsome rocking chair by the teachers and pupils of his recent school in Malden.

—The seventh annual banquet of the Wesley Bible Class of the M. E. church at Old Fellows hall, Newton Highlands, was largely attended. Prof. M. L. Perrin gave an address on "Personality."
—Next Thursday the Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will hold their monthly supper. After the supper an evening will be spent with Kipling Mrs. Chas. Mills and Mrs. Ed. Thompson being in charge.

—In spite of the severe storm last Thursday nineteen attended the bowling party given by the Pierian Club at Newton Highlands. The first prize was won by Mr. Alex. Dresser, the booty by Prof. Scoville.
—Master Fred Hopkins who was run over at Newton Centre last Wednesday morning by a cab man is still confined to his bed. The man did not stop to see what was the trouble but Dr. Long kindly carried the boy into his office and bound up his wounds.

—Mr. Elmer Stanley who has been employed at the Petrie Machine Shop a number of years was taken suddenly ill last Friday night and carried to the Newton hospital where he died Tuesday morning of pneumonia. He was a fine young man and his sudden demise is the regret of many. The remains will be interred in Maine.

—The children's entertainment given at the Ralph Waldo Emerson School by the Pierian club was a success. Mrs. Gould appeared at her best, kept the attention of all nine grades for nearly an hour by her interesting stories. The reception which followed gave the club ladies an opportunity to meet the teachers, and also the new master, Mr. Frederick Hodge who commenced his duties as master of the school this week.

Brakeman Killed.

Clarence B. Forbes, of Auburndale, aged 25 years was instantly killed last Saturday morning in Exeter street yard, Boston, while engaged in uncoupling the locomotive from a train of cars, the drawbar striking the chest. He leaves a wife and daughter. Funeral services were held from his late home on Chaske avenue, Auburndale, Tuesday afternoon and the interment was at Newton Cemetery.

Newton Highlands

—Otto Coke, 10c bags. At grocers.
—Mrs. C. P. Tobin is visiting friends in Chicago, Ill.
—F. T. McGill has gone west on a business trip.
—Mr. H. M. Biscoe of Lake avenue is home from Chicago.
—Mrs. W. C. Strong left Tuesday for Utica, N. Y., to visit relatives.
—W. T. Logan has returned from New York City where he has been the guest of his brother.
—The next meeting of the Shakespeare Club will be held with Miss Libby of Fisher avenue.
—Mrs. Chipley of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her daughter Mrs. L. W. Burgess on Bowdoin street.
—F. A. Arend has purchased the W. C. Strong estate on Windsor road, Waban, and will move there this spring.
—Prof. John Duxbury will give a reading in Lincoln hall on April 9th for the benefit of the Congregational Church Building Fund.

—The many friends of Rev. Mr. Charlton will be pleased to know that he will continue another year as pastor of the M. E. church.

—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Washington street, Newtonville. Tel. 112-3. Leave calls with H. S. Hitt, Eliot station. Tel. N. H. 212-40.

—Miss Mabelle Whitney of Lincoln street is at the Louthrop School of Landscape Gardening and Horticulture, Groton for the spring months.

—The Caleb Stark chapter meets Saturday afternoon with Willard H. Eaton on Lake avenue. There will be a business meeting followed by an entertainment.

—This Friday afternoon the reading circle will hold their meeting with Mrs. S. L. Eaton on Lake avenue. Miss Butler of Newton Centre will lecture on "India."

—The usual evening service at 7.30 o'clock will be held next Sabbath at the M. E. church and the Rev. J. E. Charlton will speak on "Two Prayers—Pride and Penitence."

—Next Sunday evening the Epworth League of the M. E. church will have a missionary talk on Africa by the pastor. A letter describing the work by a missionary now on the field will be read.

—Monday, March 26, the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. will meet with Miss Hyde, Floral St. Miss Cora Cobb will lecture on Structural Geology illustrated by examples in Newton Highlands and vicinity.

—The Misses Louise Greenidge and Edith Mowry gave a dancing party to the members of their club on St. Patrick's evening. The hall was appropriately decorated in green and the matrons were Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Greenidge.

—Mr. Seward W. Jones gave an interesting talk on practical politics before the Harvard Political Club on Wednesday evening at Cambridge. Mr. Jones has had a wide experience in the conduct of campaigns and is well qualified on this subject.

—A very successful social was held in the vestries of the M. E. church last Tuesday evening. A fine program was presented by Mrs. J. B. Haskell and ice-cream and cake were served under the direction of Mrs. G. N. B. Sherman. The social pleasures were enjoyed until a late hour.

—The Monday Club meet next week with Mrs. L. A. Miller on Dumbleek street. At the meeting of the club held with Mrs. Durgen on Hyde street last Monday a very interesting lecture was given on "Milan and the Cathedral" by Miss Allen of Brookline and was greatly enjoyed by the members present.

Death of George Sawin.

The many friends of George Sawin, a former resident of Newton for over thirty years, will be grieved to learn of his death February 28th, 1906, at the age of 68 years. During his long residence in Newton he was identified with the firm of John C. Chaffin & Co., 384 Washington street, Boston, one of the oldest firms of its kind. Mr. Sawin was for many years connected with the banking church where he served as treasurer. The funeral services were held on Saturday, March 3d, and the interment was in the family lot at Reading. The Rev. Edward A. Horton, D. D., chaplain of the Senate, a life long friend of Mr. Sawin, officiated at the funeral services and gave the following address:

I must by the tender compulsion of friendship place in these services my personal tribute. Friendship crowns the days with delights and sunshine path-ways, but when friends, living, vanish their places cannot be filled. Yet even then, memory opens her treasure house and makes glad the heart; that would be heavy and leaden, and it is recollection's pathway that I tread now in these few words, for I have been a long time friend of him whom we remember now. There were four things, my friend Sawin did and to accomplish these in a world like this, is a great achievement. I use that word "great" as we take the balances of merit and judge men by what they are, and not by positions they may occupy in reputation. No great, high, tableland did our friend tread, but there were some things that he did well, and he has made the world better by his passing through it. First, he illustrated what we call the "old school" in his business career, integrity at the heart of it and faithful routine, furnished every day with zest and zeal; not continuity in his dealings, merely, but in the same place and in the same true fashion, with those he had drawn about him. Those who can remember back forty or fifty years, know that business was quite different in the goodly city where we live from what it is today with the many cog wheels of machinery. The man—the Boston merchant—of whatever capacity, was one who knew his customers. Many of them in distinguished walks of life—literature, statesmanship, wealth, cross-lit—the threshold of his store, and talked with him as a friend and almost as a neighbor, and those people and times were woven year after year until certain individuals and certain names became recognized as the resources of mercantile usefulness and honor. Our friend Sawin was of that class and in this honorable list. I am not criticising the mercantile methods of today, but I am simply stating the difference to show how in those days a strong personality and honor realized something greater than mere traffic. I presume it is nearly half a century—fifty strong years—that he gave to that particular pursuit in which we knew him. First, as a lad, beginning as so many have in Boston, to do the chores of an office or a store, and rising into partnership, I state these things, because I believe I am touching a silent past to many (perhaps not in this group) who can little understand, when they read his name, what he was in the years past in this quiet but helpful fashion.

There was a second thing my friend accomplished; he proved himself in a great crisis a patriot. The guns of the South that threatened the life of the Union, and the sound and echo of the bugle, challenged him as they did thousands of others. And today there are some comrades, and I am one of them, thinking of him of the Forty-fourth Regiment with tenderness; and are passing by us in invisible wreaths of esteem and honor. He went faithfully at those early calls, when the people knew little of the quiet sacrifice, told only after four years of agony. He went forth. They were all young. The bloom of youth was on their cheeks; their ages from eighteen to twenty-five, most of them. It is hard to realize it. And this is why I mention it now, not simply to the nation, but to prove again, as it has been tested in so many cases, that in the Republic, when an emergency comes, there is enough loyalty to save the country. But youth do not argue it; they cannot reach their decision as older heads might; the heart drives them. The loyal nation for him had an interest; he served well and faithfully as all others did at that time in their regiment; a band of officers and men whose record on the archives of the State shines with credit and the lustre of real devotion.

There was a third thing my friend chiseled on the tablet of his career. He served the church for nearly forty years as an official; as treasurer of its resources I often came in contact with him on this side as I have on the preceding ones. Across the threshold of his store I have often gone for twenty-five years. In the reunion of the fathers I have met him again and seen the glow come to him and the pressing forward of the soul that was once ardent in this civic service. I also came in official and in contact with him as the treasurer of that emboldening society in the suburbs of Boston. He loved the altar fire and kept it flaming. He loved the prayers of the pulpit. He was helpful to the minister. He obtained refreshment and inspiration not only on Sunday, but during the week in the happy companionship, where I have often gone, of those who were strong in their loyalty to that parish and to that church. I mention that particularly because while I have praised the conscientious, faithful routine duty of the merchant, I should find utterly in my estimate of him if I did not speak of the soul within the body, of that daily life shining forth with sentiment, with worship, with reverence, with a recognition of what has made Newton a strong and enduring.

And there was a fourth reason I see traced in his life. These things are done by others, I am not mentioning them as exceptional, but am so thankful that we can find them in our friends who go along the distinguished highway of life. He made friends. He was kind. He preferred to smile rather than to scowl, and cannot recall when I ever saw a cloud go over his face. The heart-stone of his joy in those who loved him, and in life, was all ablaze with a kindly, radiating intimation of good will. When one may have spoken of a friend's passing on, one of his first utterances was: "Well, he was good-hearted, and he had a great many friends." He always wanted to walk on the sunny side of life, and he wanted others to come with him in the same way. These are well worth remembering, not only for the goodly esteem of him, but for the quickening of ourselves. That is what I meant when I began. Though there is a vanished face and a hand we cannot touch, yet the voice seems to sound through the years that are gone, and when we withdraw ourselves from the clamor and babel of life, all those friends come back. They seem to be more real than ever, and though invisible, they are our power and refreshment. I speak sincerely when I say that while it is a sad privilege to conduct a service of this kind, as oft it falls to us, yet of this kind, yet these flowers bring, not so much intimation, nor the songs, though they bring much of uplift, as the blooming, fragrant recollections of friends. When life grows heavy we think of them and the burden is lightened, and more than that the older we grow, the stronger rooted is the conviction that there is something beyond. If we could not reason it out in our college days, in the world at large, it has come home to us that there cannot be, according to God's apparent laws, an extinction or a dissolution of something that has grown up steadily, cohesively. We call it character; we call it personality; we call it will. And the cheer that comes to us is that we shall see them again; and the happiness takes some of its sting away; that since this is inevitable, that the angel knocks at every door of every human life, he was saved from the wreck and turmoil of physical disabilities that might have taken the house in which he was living, and darkened its windows. This would have indeed been a sad thing for him and for those who are nearest and dearest.

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WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Arlene E. Fernald of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be on day, at least, before said Court.
Witness, CHARLES J. McDERMOTT, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.
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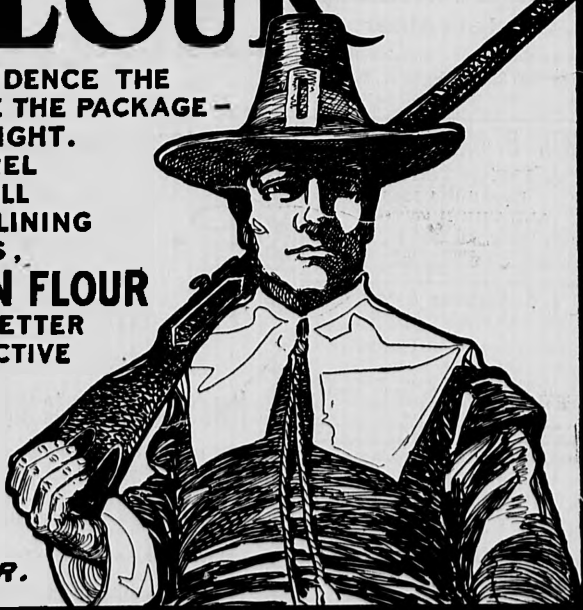
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—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Copeland of
Chicago have taken a suite in the Evans
apartments.

—Mrs. A. A. Roff, who has been visit-
ing her parents on Maple street, has re-
turned to Troy, N. Y.

—Mr. Alonzo N. Burbank and family
of Park avenue have returned after an
extended sojourn in New York and
Washington.

—Miss Adelaide Griggs was the con-
tralto soloist at the Chelsea Musical fes-
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—Dr. Charles W. Bradley and family
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—Captain George Thompson has re-
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—Misses Mildred and Florence Ivy of
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for their Easter vacation.

—A small grand piano of the Mason
and Hamlin make has been placed in the
parlors of Channing church.

—Frances, the young daughter of Mr.
George O. MacDonald of Channing
street is quite ill with a fever.

—Mr. Edgar Van Ethen will speak at
the next meeting of the Unitarian Club
on the Ethics of Railroad Rate Making.

—Mr. Francis C. Partridge has moved
here from Newton Centre and will make
his home with his father on Pembroke
street.

—Mr. George M. Hamilton of Church
street has recovered from an attack of
diphtheria and has returned from the
Newton hospital.

—Miss Florence Howe of Wesley
street has returned for a brief vacation
from Deep River, Conn., where she is a
teacher in the High School.

—Miss Wendella Benson, who has
been spending the winter in Buffalo, N.
Y., is the guest of her parents. Rev. and
Mrs. A. L. Hudson of Tremont street.

—Mrs. F. S. Cleveland of Roxbury
spoke on Home Missions at the meeting
of the Woman's Missionary Society of
Immanuel church on Wednesday after-
noon.

—Rev. Frank B. Matthews has been
invited to preach the baccalaureate ser-
mon before the graduating class of his
alma mater the University of Oregon,
the last Sunday in June.

—Mrs. George S. Harwood of Ivan-
hoe street will go to Atlanta, Georgia,
next week to attend the celebration of
the twenty-fifth anniversary of the
founding of Spelman Seminary.

—A meeting for men will be held at
the Immanuel Baptist church next Sun-
day afternoon at 3.30. Rev. James E.
Norcross of Jamaica Plain will be the
speaker and there will be a soloist.

—The Eliot Guild is planning to give
a vaudeville show at the Hunnewell
Club, Thursday, April 20th. An inter-
esting program is assured and contrary
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to be admitted.

—Miss Sara Murray, Newton High
'01, Radcliffe '04, who is studying classi-
cal philology and archaeology at Uni-
versity of Munich, Bavaria, is traveling
through the principal cities of Italy and
Greece during the spring vacation.

—At a recent meeting of the Eight
O'clock Club the following officers were
elected: executive committee, Arthur W.
Blakenore, Nathan Heard, George W.
Agry; secretary, Frank H. Burt. Several
new members were taken in at this meet-
ing.

—Mrs. Mattie R. Bakeman, who will
be remembered as a former popular
teacher in the Bigelow school has open-
ed an office at 101 Tremont street, Bos-
ton, as a china decorator and teacher.
Mrs. Bakeman also gives instruction in
embroidery, leather work and raffia hat
work.

—A pretty afternoon tea was given by
Mrs. Willard G. Brackett Thursday at
her home on Bellevue street in honor of
her daughter Miss Caroline Brackett
who is home from college for the Easter
recess. The hours were from 3 to 5 and
a large number of the younger society
set were present.

—Lenten services were held at the
usual hour on Wednesday afternoon in
Channing church, the pastor taking "The
Lesson of the Home in Bethany," for
his subject. Mr. W. N. Kilburn of Cam-
bridge, organist, and Miss Wendella
Benson, soloist. Services next Wednes-
day, at 4 P. M.

—Music at Channing Church Sunday
April 1st. Prelude, Adagio by Guilman;
Anthem, "The Lord is my light by Par-
ker; Soprano solo, These are they (from
"Holy City") by Gaul sung by Mrs. Al-
len; Anthem, "God to whom we look up
blindly, Chadwick and Postlude, First
movement Sonata G minor by Merkel,
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will preach on the topic, "The Home."
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Sharp will continue his Lenten address-
es on, "The Life of Faith and Service
and Modern Aims and Tendencies."
Rev. F. M. Brooks will give the next in
the series of talks on, "Some Faces of
Human Life" Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Maria Frances Bennett, widow
of Alphonso Bennett, and an old resi-
dent of Newton, passed away at the home
of her daughter Mrs. Charles K. Pierce,
on Pearl street, Tuesday of heart dis-
ease. She was a native of Salem and was
61 years of age. Funeral services were
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Village Night

Village Night in Newton Centre has come and gone, leaving a sense of gratification among those who worked for its success and satisfaction with those who were privileged to enjoy its pleasures.

The affair was held in Bray hall and notwithstanding the disagreeable weather nearly five hundred ladies and gentlemen of Ward Six were present. From six o'clock until the banquet hour of seven, the throngs of guests were received by President Matt B. Jones of the Newton Centre Improvement Society and Mrs. Jones, Mayor and Mrs. Warren and Alderman and Mrs. Frank A. Day.

The reception over, the guests marched into the larger hall to the strains of inspiring music from a ladies orchestra, and after an invocation by Rev. Dr. William E. Huntington, American was sung before the company sat down. The grand old hymn was sung with enthusiasm sufficient to have reached the ears of anyone at the residence of its author, Rev. Dr. Samuel F. Smith, but a few blocks away.

While the gathering was engaged in putting away the substantial found on the tables there were several outbursts of singing as the orchestra played some popular air, encores being energetically demanded in almost every case. Mr. S. A. Shannon had charge of this portion of the entertainment.

Seated at the head table were Chairman Charles E. Kelsey, Mayor and Mrs. Warren, President and Mrs. Huntington, Representative and Mrs. James A. Lowell, Rev. and Mrs. Edward M. Noyes, Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Brown, Rev. Father D. J. Wholey, Alderman and Mrs. Day, Alderman Bishop, Hon. A. R. Weed, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jones, Mr. R. S. Gorham, chairman of the school committee, Capt. and Mrs. A. C. Walworth, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey, Dr. Geo. E. May, Mr. George of Chicago and Mr. Wm. M. Flanders.

Mr. Kelsey presided and his remarks and those of the other speakers are given in full.

The proceedings were enlivened by the receipt, from time to time, of fake telegrams, delivered by a messenger boy in regulation costume but who neglected to obtain the usual receipt. On one occasion Mr. Kelsey caused considerable merriment by calling for the reading of a telegram which had not been delivered. Mr. A. E. Alvord read the telegrams, one to Mayor Warren from Mayor Fitzgerald, offering congratulations on his efforts to make Newton a busier, bigger and better city; one from Governor Guild to Representative Lowell, giving his approval, in advance, on legislation to make village night an annual institution, and one from Attorney General Malone to Chairman Gorham of the School Committee, stating his intention to proceed against the city of Newton for its neglect to comply with the statute requiring the maintenance of a manual training high school.

The stereopticon views shown were of the various school buildings in Newton, the public buildings of Brookline, the gymnasium of Boston and some beautiful scenes taken of the Clafin estate at Newtonville.


Mr. Kelsey said:

Ladies and Gentlemen; Mr. Mayor:

I would like to say that this is only a very small portion of Newton Centre here tonight and I hope you recognize that we have a power in Ward Six. I have heard the question asked frequently in the last few days: What is Village Night for? I believe that to get together on a large number of good people is worthy of this endeavor, and a company of this character brought together in this way must develop a great deal of better acquaintance, a great deal of public spirit which must be applicable to all of us and I am sure no one will fail to appreciate this opportunity. I think no one can find in this country a city of thirty-five to forty thousand population where there are so many able and public spirited men and women as there are in Newton Centre, and many women who are able to do a great deal for their city. This gathering here is an expression of unselfish public spirit and high regard for the city in which we live. The American people are the most patriotic people in the world, Massachusetts has always done her share in the work of the world, and Newton is the finest city in Massachusetts in which to live. (Applause.) And Newton Centre, the original Newton, is the correct place to start a new day for public spirit and public service.

Among our very special guests, this evening are the thirty teachers in Newton Centre. (Applause.) There are in the Rice School, ten teachers and 318 scholars; in the Thompsonville School, five teachers and 159 scholars; in the Mason school there are thirteen teachers and 460 scholars; a total of 973 scholars in our Newton Centre schools alone. I am sure that we are all of us proud of our thirty teachers but are they as proud of us as we are of them? Certainly I hope that after tonight they will admit a little more appreciation for the residents of Newton Centre and believe that we regard their efforts in a little higher way.

I have been asked very frequently in regard to this Village Night, Are we going to be asked to subscribe for anything?



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Mr. Jones.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: My state of mind at the present moment reminds me of an experience that a friend of mine had recently. He was visiting one of our large hospitals for the care of the insane and while passing through one of the wards, he was approached by a harmless looking patient who said, "Good morning, sir, do you happen to have a bit of toast about you, that you could let me have?" My friend was very much surprised and replied, "Why, no, I have no toast about me. Do you mind telling me why you asked for it?" "No," said the patient, "I don't mind telling you. I am a poached egg and I want to sit down." (Laughter.) I thought when the gentleman who presides over our destinies this evening mentioned the Improvement Association, I saw some signs of surprise, perhaps consternation. It occurred to me that some ghost might be walking therefore I want to hasten to reassure you.

Our association is peculiar. Non-payment of dues, however reprehensible that may be, does not lead to suspension from club privileges or posting on our bulletins. Our bulletins are rather small. This association is the lineal descendant of the Newton Centre Tree Club, organized in September, 1852.

Mr. Marshall S. Rice was elected first president of that association. In the words of the record, the Tree Club lived thirty months, but in that time it lived actively. Funds were raised and used in the grading of the Common near the school house, trees planted and existing trees preserved. In 1855, interest in it seemed to drag and the organization dropped out of sight. It was not until 1869, that we find anything more of the kind in the village. Then a call was issued for a meeting to consider the propriety of appointing an executive committee of twenty-four members to have special charge of the local interests of the village in regard to sewerage, gas and water supply, police, railroad facilities and development of those natural advantages, which need only to be developed to make this the favorite village of the town for residence. At that meeting an organization, known as the Prudential Committee, of the First School District of the Town of Newton, was elected. It is interesting to note that the chief topic of discussion at that meeting was the procuring of a water supply for the village, and it must have been unanimously agreed that the top of Institution Hill was the only proper place for a reservoir. (Laughter.) This organization seems not to have survived the following winter, and it was not until 1879, that the Improvement Association, which has had continuous existence since then, was brought into being. The next meeting was held at the home of Mr. Dwight Chester. The first president of the association was Judge John Lowell. The other officers were Lewis E. Coffin, Secretary, Dwight Chester, Treasurer, E. M. Fowle, S. M. Jackson, E. P. Gould, James F. C. Hyde, E. B. Bowen and D. B. Clafin, Executive Committee. The first work of the asso-

ciation was the raising and expending of funds in completing the work that had been taken up by the Tree Club, that is, the improvement of the Common, and I think no year has passed since then that something has not been done for the improvement of this village by that association. The Lake front has been greatly improved; the little triangular parks placed at the junction of so many of our streets that are now owned and cared for by the city, were originally laid out and graded by The Improvement Association, and in many cases considerable sums of money were raised to purchase the land. It was by the initiative of the association that the old Baptist Meeting house was purchased and afforded for many years the only public hall in the village. Since 1887, the association has had in charge the annual Fourth of July celebrations and for many years there was constant effort put out by its executive committee in behalf of the abolition of grade crossings. I had intended to claim all the credit of the present work going on on the south side of the city in that respect for the Improvement Association, but since I have seen some of the gentlemen here this evening, I have concluded that I had better apportion the credit perhaps equally between The Improvement Association, and the local politicians whom we have with us tonight. But if all these things are lost sight of, The Improvement Association has done one thing that would be worth all the effort that has been put out upon it, that is the purchase of the beautiful playground of nearly twenty acres, which lies off Centre Street, and which is secured forever to the city as a park. It took many years' effort to bring this about. The agitation in favor of it was begun in the early eighties and finally a committee, of which Judge Robert R. Bishop was the head, was appointed by The Improvement Association and nearly thirty thousand dollars in money was raised for the purchase of that property. Of this sum, the city contributed ten thousand dollars and nearly twenty thousand dollars was raised in this village for that purpose. If Newton Centre did that fifteen years ago for Newton, I think, Mr. President, we shall not be found wanting when a similar movement comes along for the whole city of Newton. (Applause.)

In the early days when this village was a little less urban than it is now, if that were possible, and when the general range of activities was somewhat narrower, The Improvement Association furnished the social centre for the village. Mock trials, lectures, concerts, dinners, dances, and all manner of social entertainments were given under its auspices, but with the change which has come over the village that necessarily ceased. A few years ago it was incorporated and I think we need only turn to what has been accomplished within the last few years to see that there is still a place for such an organization in a village like this. It was only a short time ago that the old Mason Schoolhouse was removed and the grounds graded, largely through pressure brought to bear by the association and partially with funds furnished by it. Only a short time ago it was ascertained that the plans for the platform which will be built on the tracks when they are lowered at our station provided for no covering of any kind. That has been taken up with the authorities and we are assured that the Newton Centre commuter as he waits on rainy mornings, may wait dry shod. (Applause.) We have brought the matter forward and have received the promise of the city authorities that the railroad embankment along the lake shall be improved during the abolition of grade crossings. I had hoped that we might speak hopefully of the relocation of Norwood Avenue in connection with that but I am sorry we are not able to at the present time. The association now is raising funds which will I think amount to several hundred dollars to secure the placing of a suitable drinking fountain on Commonwealth Avenue, at some proper location, and I am glad to say that this movement is so far advanced that its success is assured. We raise annually about five hundred dollars and expend that sum on the Fourth of July celebration, the only celebration of the kind in the city, I believe, and good judges said last year that our fireworks were more spectacular than any, thing of the kind in the vicinity of Boston. (Laughter.)

There is something as yet unaccomplished for us to do. We ought not to let opportunity go by to secure the relocation of Union Street and the consequent necessary tearing down of the old wooden buildings located at the corner of Langley Road and Beacon Street. (Applause.) And when that is done we ought not to let opportunity pass to secure the little triangular piece of land which will be there formed to be laid out as a little park and thus improve the approach to our railway station. All these matters that I have spoken of interest Newton Centre chiefly and it is a good thing for us to remember them. Every man and woman here ought to support the Newton Centre Improvement Association. It takes only fifteen to make a quorum at our annual meeting but the effort expended in getting together that number reminds me of the marriage feast related in the twenty second chapter of the Gospel according to St. Matthew. (Laughter.) However, in leaving this subject I want to bring

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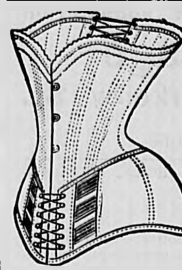
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—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hill are back from a several week's sojourn in Florida.

—Miss Edith Oliver of Washington street is able to be about after her recent illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Boyd of Washington street have returned from a trip to California.

—Mr. A. D. Drew, who has been quite ill at the home of his daughter on Park street has recovered.

—Mrs. G. F. Mason, who has been visiting friends here has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

—Mrs. H. L. Dexter of Waban park has been spending the past week with friends in New York.

—Miss S. A. Smith will have an opening of millinery on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cato of Centre street return this week from a trip through New York state.

—Miss Alice Shovelton of Allston has purchased and will soon occupy the Hano house on Summit street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Rice of Elliot street have returned from a trip to vacation points in the south.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Place of the Evans will make their future home in the apartment house on Centre street.

—Mr. B. S. Grant and family of Brookline will make their future home in the Trowbridge house on Pembroke street.

—Mrs. Charles Whittemore entertained the neighborhood circle at her home on Summit street Monday afternoon.

—Rev. Dr. George S. Butters of Wesley street was the preacher at the Union Lenten Service held at Wollaston Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. John T. Wade and her mother Mrs. Williams of Taunton have been guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton S. Packard of Wesley street.

—Mr. Charles F. Whitney is president and a director of the Boston Mechanical Company of Boston, recently incorporated under the laws of Massachusetts.

—Mr. F. M. Morton has resigned as tenor in the choir at the Methodist church and will become the new choir-master at the Baptist church, Watertown.

—Mr. Lloyd G. Kerr of Texas, who is connected with the New England Conservatory of Music, has been engaged as tenor soloist at the Methodist church.

—Miss Caroline S. Braman entertained the Eliot Aids at her home on Ivanhoe street last Monday afternoon. Miss Helen Calder was present and made an address.

—Hon. Samuel L. Powers was among the guests and speakers at the annual banquet of the New England Street Railway Club held in Boston the last of the week.

—At the last meeting of the Middlesex Woman's Club Prof. H. H. Powers gave an interesting illustrated lecture on "Lorenzo Ghiberti and His Contemporary, Donatello."

—There was a large attendance at the North Evangelical church Sunday evening when a meeting was held in the interest of the Dover street Union Rescue Mission. President F. E. Davidson and Superintendent P. E. Call present and the work and needs of the mission and several of the members also spoke.

Boston, and well known in musical circles begins her work Sunday as the soprano in the Eliot church quartette taking the place of Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood who has held the position for the past seven years.

—Mr. Robert H. Lord of the senior class at Harvard University had one of the character parts in the production of the five act comedy "The Wise Woman of Hogsdon," given in Cambridge Monday evening by the Harvard Chapter of the Delta Upsilon.

—Rev. Dr. George S. Butters will continue his series of Lenten sermons at the Methodist church next Sunday evening on the topic, "Practical Questions in Common Life." The subject will be, "The Man who thought he was a Failure." Miss Leslie B. Kyle will be the soloist.

—Mr. Henry T. Wade who has just resigned as organist at the Winthrop Congregational church, Charlestown, has been presented by the choir and music committee with a handsome quartered mission desk as a token of their esteem and appreciation for his long and valued services.

—In the Eliot church parlors next Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock Rev. F. S. Hatch will continue his half hour Lenten services. He will consider the topic, "The Seven Last Words of Jesus," and the special theme will be, "It is finished."

—Mrs. Robert G. Howard will have the sympathy of her friends in the sudden death of her father Mr. Henry Dwight Sizer at Daytona, Florida, last Saturday. Mr. Sizer was a resident of Cleveland, Ohio, but had made his home in the Evans this winter previous to his sojourn in Florida. He is survived by several children.

—The fifth organ recital was given in Eliot church last evening by Mr. Henry M. Dunham, organist of the Harvard church, Brookline. His program consisted of selections from the compositions of Dunham, Brahms, Bach, Rheinberger and others. The last recital will be given next Thursday evening by Mr. Henry T. Wade, the new organist of Channing church.

—A pretty and well attended at home was held at the Mt Ida school last Saturday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. Prof. and Mrs. Jewett with the teachers received and the students assisted about the reception and dining rooms. A number of the students' rooms were open for inspection and this attractive feature of the affair proved very interesting to the guests.

—A series of stereopticon views of India will be shown by Rev. Mr. Hatch at Eliot church this evening and the collection will be for a school in India. The greater part has been seen by Mr. Hatch and the subjects are in and about the cities of Cashmere, Lahore, Delhi, Agra, Calcutta and Bombay. More than half of the views are colored and those of Taj Mahal are very beautiful.

—Several changes occur this week in the personnel of the Channing church. Mrs. Eleanor Fox Allen having been secured as soprano; Mr. A. C. Prescott, as tenor; and Mr. Henry F. Wade, as organist and director, while Miss Standaway and Mr. Whitten will continue as contralto and bass, respectively. Mrs. Allen and Mr. Wade are already well and favorably known among lovers of music in Newton, and Mr. Prescott comes highly recommended from the Plymouth Congregational church of Worcester and the Columbus Avenue Universalist church of Boston. The new members will assume their duties next Sunday morning.

"YANKEELAND"

The William H. Davis Club repeated its performance of "Yankeeland" on Monday evening at the Hunnewell Club. The assembly hall was again filled to overflowing with friends of the author, the composer and the cast and constant applause and laughter followed the bright lines of Mr. Bentley and the beautiful music of Mr. Wade.

A second hearing only strengthens the very favorable opinion which had been formed on the music of the opera. Mr. Wade has written some very catchy songs in the "Unconventional," the "Dreaming" and "Yankeeland" while pressing closely upon these, and vying for public favor are the "Telephone" and the "Saucy, Little Summertime Summer Maid" songs. There were many expressions in favor of having the music published.

The story of the opera does not need retelling at this time Mr. Bentley has added a clever feature of local hits, in the limericks sung by the "Unconventional" and recalls were loudly demanded. Mr. Henry was in good voice and his solos were greatly appreciated. Mr. Ellison had a new dress in the second act and was extremely good in both acting and singing. Mr. Bradley was less awkward than a month ago and carried his part quite well. Dr. Naylor couldn't improve his part if he should try a dozen times and his song and dance were much enjoyed. Mr. Fraser was much easier than before and did remarkably well with the longest speaking part in the cast. Mr. Whittemore made a striking widow in appearance, but his deep voice was such a contrast that it raised a laugh on every occasion. Mr. Hadden has greatly improved his part as the Earl of Neeldhemon and his makeup was capital.

But after all was said and done, it was Mr. Harding who brought down the house whenever he was on the stage. As a comedian, he was a brilliant success. His song of "Smiling Slattery" was demanded again and again and after he had been presented with some beautiful carnations and roses, which he placed over each shoulder, with his carrot colored wig in the centre, the riot in color was simply a sight.

The stage was under the efficient direction of Mr. Ernest Wright and Mr. B. L. Goodwin was the stage manager. The ushers were directed by Mr. Wm. T. Coppins and Mr. Walter C. Whitney was the business manager.

BENEATH THE GILDED DOME.

At least four matters of especial interest engaged the attention of the legislature last week, two in committee and two on the floor, one of the latter in the Senate and one in the House. Space will not permit of treating these matters in detail, but it may be said in passing, that it is not unlikely that subsequent events which may be linked with the proceedings referred to will be more important than the proceedings themselves.

The committee hearings that are referred to were held in one case before the joint Ways and Means Committee, upon the matter of appropriating a sum of money to the Johnstown Exposition, the other was with the House Committee on Ways and Means upon the bill to appropriate money for a commission home for the blind. The Johnstown matter called out a large representation of colored people who entered a strong protest against the appropriation, on the ground that colored people would be discriminated against if they should go to Virginia to visit the Exposition. They maintained that the laws of Virginia discriminate against the colored people, and that the authorities of the Fair could not insure just treatment for them, except within the Exposition grounds. Upon the side of those favorable to the appropriation were the representatives of the promoters of the Exhibition, strongly backed by the messages of President Roosevelt and Governor Guild. Setting aside any discussion of the merits and demerits of the question, both of which in this case exists, it must be admitted that the remonstrants acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner, in spite of the arbitrary methods in which the hearing was conducted, and it should be noted in passing, that a very marked discrimination, right here in Massachusetts, was manifested in the proceedings of the morning. Directly across the hall from where this gathering was held, there was a hearing by the Committee on Public Health. At that meeting was a large company of Anglo-Saxons who were interested in the matter under discussion, and all the while during the hearing the applause was almost incessant, while in the hearing on the Jamestown matter, where the African race was occupying the attention of the committee on Ways and Means, any attempt to applaud was promptly checked by the chairman, who oftentimes made more disturbance in the exercise of his authority than those who feebly attempted to give expression to their approval of the words of the speakers. Applause is a prerogative of the American people, which is admitted and exercised by the people of Massachusetts to a somewhat greater extent than in Russia, and until it reaches the point at which it becomes a disturbance it should be allowed. In the Massachusetts Senate there is much of the time no desire to applaud, for in that chamber the listeners are generally more busily engaged in keeping awake.

In closing the reference to this hearing, it may be said that whenever the white people acquit themselves with us much credit as was demonstrated at that hearing by the colored people, it will be a cause for congratulation.

The hearing on the commission to the blind proved one of the most interesting gatherings before any committee of the present session. It is often that the action of a committee is anticipated but in this case liberty is taken to say that if the Ways and Means Committee does not allow the appropriation asked, it will be a matter of surprise to one who listened with growing interest to the proceedings. From the opening to the closing of the hearing, the arguments presented by the petitioners grew in interest, until at the close, the only blind woman lawyer in the United States made one of the most effective arguments ever heard in the State House, and proved conclusively, that, even though deprived of the all powerful inducement to live, a human being may rise above even the sharpest affliction, and achieve great success in the battle of life. It was one of the finest examples of the power of the human will over circumstances and privation which has ever appeared at the capital of the Commonwealth.

The first of the two instances in the legislature to which allusion has been made, was the debate in the House over the abutments' bill. At this writing, this matter has not been finally disposed of, but it is not a question of much doubt about what will be done with the measure, in view of what transpired in the Senate upon the closing day of the legislative week.

Attention was called in this column recently to the danger of establishing a precedent in legislative procedure, and before the ink had dried that gave the warning, the House was called to face the responsibility for such a situation. In two or three instances during the debate on the abutments' bill, the House was reminded of its action on the Touraine Bill, and was served with notice that by such action on that measure it had committed itself to a policy by which it must abide or take the consequences of appearing to be inconsistent. That notice had a remarkable effect; it closed the mouth of one of the ablest debaters on the floor, and was the first move which

turned the tide of all the anticipated liquor legislation of this session.

The closing event of the eventful week, was the debate in the Senate on the over time bill. The Senate was awakened from its long slumber by a shock which made it rub its eyes in astonishment and for once sit up straight and attend to business. For almost four hours, the upper branch of the Massachusetts legislature fought over the bill forbidding the employment of women and minors in manufacturing establishments between 6 P. M. and 6 A. M., and at last it was killed by a vote of 13 to 12, President Dana voting to break the tie.

The day before it had ordered the bill to engrossment by a vote of 20 to 17. In the course of the afternoon Friday it became rumored about the Senate Chamber that the Governor did not wish to have the bill come to him. However true that may have been, it had its effect, and the bill was killed, and in the execution many things were carried down to death. As it was with Samson when he killed more at his death than he had destroyed in his entire life, so it was in this case, the slaughter last Friday was appalling in the fall of many ambitions and the hopes of many measures. It would be difficult to form any conception of the number of casualties resulting from this battle, they can only be enumerated when the killed, wounded and missing are all accounted for, and that will be a long time after the smoke of battle shall have been cleared away.

Louis D. Brandeis, in discussing recently the matter of legislative council and legislative agents, before the Committee on Rules, dropped a few crystallized words into the pool of hallucinations which pervade the public mind about the lobby. By the way, there probably is not a greater gulf in legislative procedure than that existing between legislative council and legislative agents, as fixed by the acts of 1890. Mr. E. W. Burdett, in an argument before the Public Lighting Committee, recently stated that he had been appearing as counsel before legislative committees for eighteen years, and that he had endeavored, so far as his ability would permit him, to present the interests of his client to committees engaged in hearing the matters in which he was interested, and that when he had performed that duty, he felt that his labors were at an end regarding matters involved. Mr. Brandeis in the hearing to which allusion has been made, stated that he believed that frankness with the legislature on the part of corporations or individuals was all that was necessary to assure a square deal. It would be difficult to put into fewer words the true state of affairs than in this remark of Mr. Brandeis. Let this course be pursued, and the lobby, which Mr. Luce is seeking to control, will disappear. If Robert M. Morse, A. E. Pillsbury, L. P. Brandeis, E. W. Burdett, L. S. Dabney, and their like, appear before legislative committees on measures which are before them, it would be absurd to say that the legislature would be in any need of, or would thank the alleged lobby for additional assistance in arriving at wise conclusions. Mr. Brandeis said a very handsome and just compliment to the legislature when he said that frankness was all that was desired upon the part of the General Court.

Two reasons exist why those interested in legislative matters generally should now and then give a hasty glance at conditions in Boston. One is, that Mayor Fitzgerald is pretty regularly in evidence in legislation, and the other reason is, that Martin Lomasney is a member of the General Court. The love story between these two men would not make a very large book if reduced to printers' ink, and as the same race blood flows in both men's veins, it makes it pretty safe to wager your remaining dollar that whatever real valuable legislation the Mayor obtains on Beacon Hill, he will secure in spite of the man whom he says "has lived on politics for the last fifteen years." Lomasney has not as yet given in to Fitzgerald, because the latter was accidentally elected Mayor of Boston last fall and still continues to edit his organ for the purpose of destroying what little there is left of Lomasney. With Martin Lomasney inside the fort called the State House, and Fitzgerald pounding at the gates, it is yet a problem which way the battle goes. The Napoleon of the Hendricks Club has many scalps dangling from his belt, and it is said that the Mayor has never been defeated. Are they to meet for their greatest bout over the Governor's plan for a police commissioner, and the excise board?

How many readers of this paper know that Massachusetts furnishes the privileges of a Free Public Library to every man, woman and child in the Commonwealth? In conversation with Mr. C. B. Tillinghast, the Librarian of the State Library, that interesting fact was furnished by that interesting man, who may be said to be an expert on Library statistics; other facts were divulged in the course of the conversation, one being that there was an average of three volumes to every inhabitant; that the aggregate number of volumes in the state was 4,250,000, and that the circulation was 9,000,000 volumes. Other information along this line would satisfy any man that this was the banner state in point of library advantages furnished and utilized by Massachusetts.

Edgar J. Bliss.

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The recent report of the joint committee of the school board and aldermen in favor of the immediate erection of two new school houses and the consideration of the subject of a technical training high school will be received with mingled feelings of dismay and of resignation by the tax payers. The two new schools will cost at least two hundred thousand dollars and the proposed matter of technical training opens up another vista of expense upon which it is not pleasant to dwell.

The need of the new school at Nonantum is certainly proven and the conditions in that district are a disgrace to the city. The committee recommendation seems the only sensible course to follow, although many will question the wisdom of erecting a sixteen room building.

At Newton Highlands the need is not so emphatic as at Nonantum, but the present building is certainly overcrowded and lacks proper heating and ventilation. We cannot favor so large a building as the committee recommends, even if one room is to be utilized for a branch public library. Eight rooms without a hall seems to be amply sufficient for this district for some years to come. This will give sixteen rooms, or four rooms more than Supt. Spaulding estimates will be needed at the present time. A hall in the new building is certainly a waste of public money. The present hall can be enlarged if necessary by including the two recitation rooms adjoining and should be sufficient for all school purposes.

The high school situation is one worthy of careful consideration. The present building, with ordinary increase in membership, will be taxed to its utmost within two years. The recommendation of the joint committee hints at the erection of a technical training school, to relieve the present building, and the merits of this plan will be given earnest investigation.

The joint committee is to be commended for the clearness and fulness of its report of existing conditions. While some questions of detail may occasion discussion, we believe the general conclusions will not be gainsaid by any one.

In many matters of civic interest Newton Centre has always taken the lead, and in the idea of a "Village Night," such as was carried to a remarkably successful conclusion this week, that community has established a precedent which should not only become an annual institution in that village, but should be reproduced in other parts of this city. The speeches were in excellent taste. That of Mr. Jones was calculated to tickle the village pride at what had been accomplished and was to be accomplished in Newton Centre and opening the way for the appeal to the larger interests of the city as a whole which was so well emphasized by Alderman Day. Mr. Parker's thoughtful speech will be read with interest by many who were unable to hear him speak. All in all Village Night was a brilliant success, well worth the time and effort spent by its committee of arrangements, and well worth emulation.

President Dana has been much in the public eye of late through the defeat of the overtime bill in the Mass. Senate last Friday. We who know Senator Dana have absolute confidence that his judgment on this question is sound and his position well taken. As a matter of fact the defeated measure is simply a piece of politics, and adequate laws are now in existence governing the principal points at issue.

The position which the GRAPHIC has attained in the newspapers of the state is emphasized this week by the election of its editor as recording secretary of the Massachusetts Republican Editorial Association, of which Speaker John N. Cole is president.

ROSA SPINOSISSIMA.

BURNET OR SCOTCH ROSE.

The Scotch Rose is widely known, but singularly is seldom seen in cultivation, and is excessively rare.

The foliage is small and dark, deeply serrated and distinct from any other variety. The flowers are single, pure white and pink, and it is a most persistent bloomer during a large portion of mid-summer, while the deep black hips or seed pods during winter make it a beautiful and desirable ornamental shrub. "Home and Garden" speaks of it in the March number: "In June—the month of roses—it comes as a bride all decked in white, and pure paper white, centered with a dish of golden anthers."

This rose seems to be exempt from insect pest, and fungus diseases. We have a limited number of these beautiful roses, pot grown stocky plants to offer. Shady Hill Nursery Co., Bedford, Mass.

Mr. Pearson Dead.

Mr. Herbert S. Pearson, a long time resident of Auburndale, died suddenly at his office in the Boston Herald last Monday afternoon.

He had been subject to heart failure for a long time, but he had never been seriously affected by it. Monday morning he appeared in his usual health, and made no comment upon not feeling well.

About 12:30 o'clock an assistant in the office went out to his lunch, leaving Mr. Pearson sitting in his chair at work at his desk. About 15 minutes later an employee of the delivery department, which joins the office of the purchasing agent, had occasion to see him about some matter. When he reached the office the latter was sitting in his chair with his head thrown back. Apparently he was just starting to make out a supply order when stricken.

Physicians who arrived in the Relief Hospital ambulance said that death had been caused by heart failure.

Mr. Pearson was born in Boston and educated in its public schools. For many years he was associated with the Eureka Silk Company as its New England agent and for the past two years had been the purchasing agent of the Boston Herald.

Mr. Pearson was 51 years of age and is survived by a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Frank Niles of Princeton, Me. and Miss May Pearson of Auburndale.

Funeral services were held in the chapel at Mt. Auburn cemetery, Thursday afternoon. They were of the simplest nature and consisted solely of the reading of the Episcopal service by the Rev. John Matteson, rector of the Church of the Messiah.

The body was enclosed in a silver-handled, broadcloth casket, which was surrounded by many beautiful floral offerings, which included a broken column, from The Boston Herald Company, and a magnificent floral reproduction of a front page of The Herald on a standing wreath of ferns, roses and pinks, bearing the date: "March 26, 1906," when Mr. Pearson passed away. Burial was in the family lot.

Clubs and Lodges

By invitation the Hobah Lodge 53 will work the first degree at West Newton, April 5th for Newton Lodge 92 I. O. O. F.

A competitive whist tournament has been started by Newton Lodge I. O. O. F. of West Newton and will meet at intervals during the remainder of the season.

A whist party and dance, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H. will be held in Bray hall, Newton Centre, Wednesday evening, April 18.

The degree staff of Middlesex Court, M. C. O. F., worked the degree for Columbus Court of Boston on Friday and exemplified the ceremonies of initiation on candidates in Wakefield on Sunday.

Charles Ward Post, G. A. R. attended the camp fire of the Cambridgeport post Thursday evening. The regular meeting of the post will be held next Thursday evening in G. A. R. hall, Newtonville.

Newton Hospital

The following letter fully explains the attitude of the Newton Hospital authorities on the recent agitation in the Boston papers on the matter of gifts to nurses of that institution.

The letter is from Mr. W. C. Bray, Clerk of the Hospital to Mr. William Hansen, who represents the Fulford estate, and is dated Jan. 19, 1906.

"It is to be regretted that there has been any misunderstanding concerning Senator Fulford's legacy to the Misses Lemm and others, pupil nurses of this hospital. These young women have turned over the amount of the gift to the treasurer of the hospital with the suggestion that it be used for the benefit of the library of the training school in a manner to insure proper and permanent recognition of the source of the gift.

Under these circumstances the treasurer cannot properly pay back this sum without authority from the trustees. He will ask for such authority at the next meeting and upon receiving the same will pay back the money to the four pupil nurses who will be advised to return it to the Toronto General Trust Corporation in accordance with your letter.

"The rules which prohibit the receipt of gratuities by nurses from patients apply as strongly to gifts by will as those by the living. This is a most important rule, necessary for the maintenance of the standard which the school endorses to place before its pupils and must be adhered to. The hospital, of course, is unwilling to receive or retain any funds contrary to the wish of the giver or his representatives. I feel sure that the trustees will authorize the treasurer to return the money or to give it back to the nurses to send to Toronto as requested.

"Conditions are frequently such as to make personal sacrifices keenly felt, though freely made, and we are sorry that the nurses could not have been commended for their fidelity to obligations, even if it was thought best to ask for the return of the money."

City Hall Notes.

Assistant Auditor Hatch has been called to Leicester this week by the serious illness of his father.

The contract for concrete work has been recently awarded to Sampson Bros. Corporation.

The Board of Health has received bids for the collection of garbage and removal of ashes. Current rumor reports that extraordinary high figures have been submitted.

The next meeting of the board of aldermen promises to be as interesting as any held this year. The hearing on the Boston & Worcester petition to act as a common carrier will attract many and there is talk of action on new school houses.

Hunnell Club

One of the largest audiences that ever turned out to witness an entertainment at the Hunnewell Club, turned out Thursday evening the 22nd to see the vaudeville show given by the club.

The show started promptly at 7.45 and lasted until 10.30, and was one continuous round of comedy, furnishing amusement for both old and young alike.

Nothing but the very best talent from among the vaudeville artists was engaged for this show, and the club members and their friends seemed to appreciate this fact, as you could hear nothing but words of commendation on all sides, declaring it to be the best entertainment ever given by the club.

The first on the program was a wonderfully clever comedy musical sketch (Just for fun) given by Messrs Goodrich and Drew, who played the mandolin, banjo and piano in a masterful manner, and their singing was excellent.

It would be hard to give a good description of the Floyds in their up-to-date magic, as their tricks were very clever and especially the marvelous mystifying trunk and handkerchief act.

Albert Neal as a lightning change artist is rightly named, his representations being perfect and funny.

A very interesting number was the Great Mohala, in a series of mind reading tests, the originality of the act both interested and delighted the audience.

Delbert G. Lean as an impersonator is an expert. He is exceedingly fine as a humorist, and his selections were immensely appreciated by all.

The Litchfields in their one act sketch "Down at Brook Farm" afforded plenty of amusement for all, and as a closing number left the audience in the best mood possible.

Mr. A. H. Handley's orchestra of eight pieces furnished the music, and their work was very meritorious and deserving of much approbation.

A ladies bowling team consisting of Mrs. Howard, Miss Loring, Miss Holmes, Mrs. Utley and Mrs. Loveland rolled a bowling match with ladies of the Allston Golf Club at Allston last Friday afternoon. A large crowd accompanied the home team and cheered them on the victory. A return game will be rolled on the Hunnewell alleys this afternoon.

The League team took three straight from the Boat Club at Riverside Wednesday evening, Loring with 114 being high man.

Auburndale.

—Mrs. Mary E. Butler is reported seriously ill at her home on Auburn street.

—Mr. J. Walter Davis is confined to his home on Central street by a serious illness.

—Miss Helen Van Tassel of Evergreen avenue is back after a few days absence.

—Mr. William Estes of Charles street has returned from a visit to friends in Worcester.

—Mr. M. L. Cooley and family of Washburn road are moving to Waterbury, Conn.

—Mr. John W. Clark is confined to his home on Melrose street with an attack of rheumatism.

—At Lasell Seminary Sunday evening Dr. Dean A. Walker gave an illustrated lecture on, "Mead."

—Mr. Augustus Neuenfeldt of Commonwealth avenue is able to be about again after an illness.

—Mr. William H. Blood of Woodbine street, who recently returned from the hospital, is now able to be out.

—Miss Abbie Nickerson of Commonwealth avenue returns this week from a visit with relatives in Springfield.

—Mrs. Forbes and daughter of Framingham are the guests of Mrs. Clarence B. Forbes of Chaske avenue.

—Mrs. A. R. Johnson of Ash street intends spending the spring season in the south for the benefit of her health.

—Bishop W. F. Mallahan and Rev. Dr. E. F. Strong have been elected trustees of the Massachusetts Bible Society.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Benson of Lexington street have returned from a visit to their sister in Newark, N. J.

—Rev. Dr. Rice, the presiding elder of the Cambridge district, occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday morning.

—The Friendly Chiss will continue the studies of Christ's life at the Congregational church next Sunday. Under the general theme, "The Relations of the Wonderful Life," Hon. J. M. W. Hall will speak on, "To Publicans and Sinners."

A Color Problem

Every one with a Venetian sense of color, who enjoys a perfect color harmony as wordsworth enjoyed the daffodils, should see the new wall papers and draperies on exhibition here this week.

Many of our Newton houses are too conventional. They lack the stamp of individuality and the finer marks of possession. The rooms look dead, as if no one lived in them. They need to be lightened up and made brighter and cheerier by some of the new wall papers which have just been placed on our shelves. Remember that we have the draperies to match.

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Auburndale.

—Mr. C. D. Arlington and family have moved from Pennsylvania and are occupying the Spaulding house on Central street.

—In a recent number of the Christian Register is an interesting original poem entitled, "Destiny," written by Miss Martha G. Haskell.

—The next in the series of cotillions in Norumbega hall has been postponed until the middle of April on account of the Lenten season.

—An entertainment and candy sale for the benefit of the picture fund was held Wednesday evening in the hall of the Charles C. Burr school.

—Miss Ella E. Starr, niece of Mrs. John Matteson of Auburn street leaves Saturday to spend her vacation with relatives in Westfield, N. J.

—Mr. Thomas G. Blackstock has purchased of Daniel G. Alexander, through the agency of James W. Beasley, his estate located at 257 Auburndale avenue.

—A Lasell Club has been organized in Cincinnati, recently, with a constitution similar to that of the New York Club. The club is planning a luncheon to be held May 2.

—Mr. John Adams who has been a guest at the Woodland Park Hotel while recuperating from an illness, will make his future home with Mr. Leonard on Melrose street.

—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, Field Secretary of the Sunday School Union, spoke in the interest of the work in the diocese at the Church of the Messiah last Sunday morning.

—Mr. John J. Momen of the Hartford Theological Seminary occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church last Sunday morning and made a short address in the evening.

—Mr. William I. Goodrich of Central street has been elected treasurer and clerk of the C. W. Moore Company, recently incorporated under the Massachusetts state laws.

—Mr. Charles W. Hubbard has had plans drawn for a fine new stable to be erected on his estate in Weston. The building will be of stone and wood and will take the place of the one recently burned.

—Preparations are being made for the opening of the season on the river. The police squad, now in charge of Sergt. Chapman of the Metropolitan Park Reservation, will soon be increased and there will be a number of changes made.

—Among the interesting books recently published is one from Oxford, England, entitled, "Hurrell Froude," from the pen of Miss Louise Imogene Guiney, a former resident of this place, and at one time in charge of the local postoffice.

—An interesting meeting of the Ladies Benevolent Society was held Wednesday afternoon at the Congregational church. Miss Frink of the Seamen's Friend Society was the guest and speaker giving an account of her work among the sailors. At the close of the program social tea was served.

—At the Church of the Messiah this evening Rev. John Matteson will continue his Lenten addresses on, "Jesus Christ according to St. Mark." His subject will be, "He Took Them in His Arms." On Sunday evening Rev. Thomas L. Cole of St. Mary's Church, Newton Lower Falls, will speak on "Recreation for Christ."

—Mrs. Blanche C. Martin scored a great artistic triumph in the rendering of her adaptation of Justin McCarthy's novel, "If I were King," in Potter hall, Boston, last Thursday evening. There was a large and representative audience present and the affair was under the patronage of about twelve members of the Club House Club and Minute Men Chapter, D. A. R.

—There was a large attendance at the musicale given under the auspices of the Ladies Benevolent Society in the chapel of the Congregational church Thursday evening. The miscellaneous program was preceded by the beautiful song cycle, "The Daisy Chain," by Lisa Lehmann, descriptive of child life. Those taking part were Mrs. W. K. Corey, Mrs. May Sleeper Ruggles, Mrs. Nelson Freeman, Miss Mabel P. Ober, Mr. Charles Chase and Mr. Waldo W. Cole.

—The funeral of Mrs. Harriet R. Chamberlain widow of Daniel Chamberlain, who died Thursday last week, was held Sunday at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence on Wolcott street. There were many relatives and friends present and the services were conducted by Rev. Charles M. Southgate, a former pastor of the deceased. There were numerous floral tributes. Mrs. Chamberlain was a native of North Boxford, Mass., but had been a resident of this place for about 50 years. Three sons and a daughter survive her. The interment was in Newton Cemetery.

Waban.

—Mr. G. M. Angier and Mr. T. James have recently purchased two gasoline runabouts.

—Mr. D. I. Baker of Windsor road left last Saturday on a business trip to Utah.

—Miss Katrina Kimball gave an enjoyable dance at her home on Woodward street last Saturday night.

—Mr. Pietro Isola spoke before the Twentieth Century Club last Saturday on the value of the immigrant Italian.

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—A largely attended and successful heart party was given by the Tennis Courts Club at the Angier residence on Wednesday night.

—Miss Vera Burnett is seriously ill at the Newton Hospital from the effects of an operation last Tuesday for appendicitis combined with typhoid fever.

—The Ladies' Circle of the Union church held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. W. S. Everett, where sewing was done for the Newton Hospital, Pomroy House and other charities in which the Circle is interested. The monthly social of the church will be held

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at Waban hall on Friday evening next. The program will be in charge of Rev. J. B. Scudbury, of Wellesley Hills, pastor of the church. The next meeting of the Circle will be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Gould, on Tuesday afternoon next.

—The Gymnasium Class of Waban School gave an exhibition in the Gymnasium of the school on Friday evening last. The program consisted of marching by the class, free exercises, led by Arthur Bartlett, dumb bell drill, led by Lemuel Sinclair, mat work, led by Clifford Mackenzie, parallel bar work by the senior section and gymnastic games by the class, concluding with torch swinging by Clifford and Morell Mackenzie. The work was all well done and was witnessed by an interested audience of friends of the school.

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—Mr. Buffum and family of Walnut street has been away the past week for a short absence.

—Mrs. Eliza D. Montgomery is reported seriously ill at the home of her daughter on Cabot street.

—Miss Rose Cunningham will give a pupils' recital in Temple hall next Friday afternoon from 3 to 5.

—Mr. Heywood S. French and family of Jenison street are moving to the Ross house on Lowell avenue.

—Mr. William B. Denison has been elected treasurer of the Franklin Square House Corporation of Boston.

—Rev. A. L. Squier will continue the course of sermons Sunday evening. Subject, "In the House of Potiphar."

—Miss Bertha Blampied of Crafts street is in New Hampshire for a few weeks for the benefit of her health.

—The Queens of Avilion were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Bertha Robson on Crafts street.

—Mrs. Charles Curtis formerly of Otis street has returned from a month's visit to Florida and the Bahama Islands.

—The Universalist supper and social has been postponed and will be held in the parish house, Thursday night, April 26th.

—Mrs. Thomas W. Bradshaw, a former resident, was in town this week the guests of friends. She sails Tuesday for a year's visit in England.

—Miss Ruth Walton of Lowell avenue, who is a member of the senior class at Radcliffe College, has been chosen chorister for the class day exercises.

—An entertainment for the benefit of the Fresh Air Fund will be given by Miss Stowell's class in the vestry of the Methodist church next Monday evening.

—Mrs. Herbert A. Thayer, who has been visiting friends in Newton Centre during her convalescence from a serious illness, has returned to her home on Prescott street.

—At the Lenten service to be held in the Universalist church, Wednesday evening, April 11th, the chorus choir will be assisted by that popular soloist Doctor J. C. Hines.

—Mr. Matthew C. Brush was elected a member of the executive committee of the New England Street Railway Club at the annual meeting and banquet held in Boston Thursday evening.

—At the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants held Wednesday Mr. Marcus Morton was elected deputy governor and Dr. Charles H. Alden, surgeon.

—An interesting event at the special communion service at St. John's church next Sunday morning will be the presence, by invitation of the rector, of a large number who were confirmed in the parish during the past six years.

—The many friends of Mr. George W. Swift, who has been connected with the Springfield Republican, will be interested to learn that he has accepted a position as editorial writer on the Brockton Times.

—There was a large attendance at the annual banquet held at the Methodist church last evening. Mr. A. H. Soden was the toastmaster and among the speakers were Rev. A. L. Squier, Rev. Dr. Braut and Dr. Bieler.

—The Men's Universalist Club will be held Monday evening in the parish house of the Universalist church. Rev. A. L. Squier will be the guest of the Club and will give an illustrated lecture on "A Trip to the Sunny South."

—Rev. Charles Edward Hutchinson, a native of Newton and rector of the Church of the Ascension in Boston has accepted a call to the pastorate of Christ Episcopal church in East Orange, N. J. He will begin his duties in April.

Newtonville.

—Mrs. J. B. Stewart of Foster street is improving from her recent illness.

—Mrs. M. E. Leland has bought for improvement a lot of land on Linwood avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr of Central avenue are moving to the Clark house on Mt. Vernon terrace.

—Mrs. Laura MacDonnell has purchased for improvement a lot of land on Broadway, the property of Mr. Joseph Harris.

—Mrs. Clarence Holt and son, who have been the guests of friends on Cabot street, have returned to their home in Dover, Me.

—Mr. Richard J. Adams of Norwood avenue has recovered from his recent illness and has resumed his duties as foreman at the Newton Water Works.

—Rev. Dr. John F. Brant was among the guests and speakers at the annual dinner of the Phi Delta Theta Club of Boston and Harvard held at the American House last week.

—The Young Men's Class at Central church next Sunday will continue the consideration of the topic, "The World's Greatest Young Man." The special theme will be, "His Return and the Great Disclosure."

—The Every Saturday Club will meet Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Austin G. Sherman, 518 Walnut street. The study of the Greek Drama will be continued the play of "Prometheus Bound" by Aeschylus being considered.

—Miss Ethel W. Gaudet of Lowell avenue, who is a pupil of the department of design of the school of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts attended the international exhibition of work in design at the Boston Art Club this week.

—The regular meeting of the King's Daughters was held Tuesday afternoon at the Pomroy Home in Newton. It was stated that the sum of \$82 was cleared from the two plays given in January and several matters of importance were considered.

—At the residence of Miss Mary J. Howe on Newtonville avenue Saturday afternoon and evening from 3 to 9 a cake and candy sale will be held under the auspices of the Deaconess Aid Circle. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the New Deaconess Hospital.

—The final arrangements are being made for the Lenten service to be held at the Universalist church Wednesday evening, April 11th. There will be a strong, inspiring sermon by an able preacher and the choir, organist and a soloist will participate in the musical program.

—At St. John's church this evening Rev. Richard T. Loring will speak on the subject "From Sullen Death Good Lord Deliver Us." Rev. Charles E. Hutchinson of the Church of the Ascension, Boston, will be the Lenten speaker Sunday afternoon and Rev. James C. Sharp of Waban next Wednesday evening.

—Funeral services over the remains of Dr. George S. Woodman were held Sunday at 2 o'clock from the residence of his daughter Mrs. Bigelow on Beattle street, Cambridge. Rev. Dr. Walcott Calkins, a former pastor of Eliot church officiated assisted by Rev. Dr. Franklin Hamilton of Boston. The burial was in Amherst.

—Miss Katherine Ricker, the contralto who captured the audience last Sunday evening, will be the soloist at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30. The following will be her selections: "Love Not the World," Sullivan; "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears From Their Eyes," Sullivan and "He Shall Feed His Flock Like a Shepherd" from the "Messiah" by Handel.

Newton Club.

Plus scores at duplicate whist were made Monday night by J. F. Humphrey and A. D. Salinger, 3; F. M. Copeland and J. F. Casey and E. W. Sherman and H. M. Hill each 2-2; M. O. Rice and F. M. Lane 2.

—Maugus trimmed the local team on its home alleys this week in the Newton League, with a two out of three win. The games were all close with but average bowling.

West Newton.

—Mr. Edwin C. Griffin has had plans drawn for a new house on Temple street.

—Mrs. Daniel G. Wing has had as a recent guest her sister from Davenport, Ohio.

—The Fessenden school on Albemarle road closed Thursday for a two week's vacation.

—Fresh mushrooms, tomatoes, cauliflower, celery and cucumbers at Allens Market.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eddy, who have been in Florida, are now located in Washington, D. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard E. Bloom of Washington street have a new son which arrived on Monday.

—Mr. George T. Dodd and family of Prince street leave today for a few weeks' visit in Worcester.

—Mr. Rodney M. Lucas quietly observed his 82d birthday at his home on Hunter street last Tuesday.

—Mrs. Edwin L. Clark of Sharon avenue is in a Boston hospital where she went for a surgical operation.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ganse of Shaw street are back from an extended trip to California and points in the West.

—Mr. Frank Pettigrew of Auburn street has leased the Mountain View house at Whiteface, near Sandwich, N. H.

—Mr. Robert Kirk, who has been driver for the Adams Express Company, has been appointed clerk in the ticket office.

—Mr. M. Frank Lucas of Lincoln park returned Monday on the Admiral Dewey from a several week's sojourn in Jamaica.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard G. Elkins of Highland avenue will sail Saturday from New York for a three month's European trip.

—Rev. Charles E. St. John, secretary of the American Unitarian Association, will preach at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning.

—Rev. Edwin F. Snell will speak at the Baptist church next Sunday evening on the topic "Give us This Day, our Daily Bread."

—Mr. E. A. Wood had some fine carnations at the annual exhibition of the Horticultural Society held in Boston the last of the week.

—Mr. Charles Wellington of Denver, Colorado, is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Wellington of Washington street.

—The Newton District Nursing Association has appointed Miss Mary E. Welch of Elm Court as nurse in charge of the north side of the city.

—Prof. F. Spencer Baldwin of Ballcarres road gave a lecture on, "Kipling," Tuesday afternoon in Jacob Sleeper hall, Boston University.

—Mr. T. W. Stoddard was one of the committee in charge of the dance given in Howe hall, Boston, Friday evening by the Sigma Alpha Epsilon of the Boston University Law School.

—Congressman and Mrs. John W. Weeks were among the guests present at a dinner party given by Vice-president and Mrs. Fairbanks in Washington last week Thursday evening.

—A successful and well attended cake and candy sale was held at the Second Congregational church last Wednesday afternoon. It was in charge of the Red Bank Society and the proceeds will be used for their work.

—At the residence of Mrs. Albert Metcalf on Highland street Tuesday morning Mrs. May Alden Ward gave the last of her series of talks on current events. There was a good attendance of ladies in this village.

—The members of St. Bernard's Aid Society will begin at once rehearsing the three act drama, "A Broken Bow-spirit" by Mr. James R. Condrin. The drama will be presented about the middle of April.

—At the recent annual meeting and banquet of the Boston Paper Trade Association Mr. J. Richard Carter was elected a member of the arbitration committee and also a delegate to the Boston Associated Board of Trade.

—Mrs. Harry L. Ayer returns soon from Jamaica where she and her mother Mrs. Morse have been making an extended sojourn. They were in Kingston for several weeks and later were guests at the Hotel Titchfield.

—Mr. Robert Bennett has purchased the Eliot Perry farm in South Nauc for a home. The estate is one of the finest in the town and comprises a large mansion house, commodious out buildings and 26 acres of land.

—Mr. Edward M. Seaton, clerk at the railroad station and his brother Mr. Leonard M. Seaton, for a number of years in the employ of W. J. Forbush the grocer, have bought out Henry W. Crafts' market and will take possession April 1st.

—Mr. Charles R. Leonard of Forest avenue, who is a member of the sophomore class of Harvard college, has been appointed a member of the foot ball squad. Mr. Leonard was in last year's team and will start at his old position on third base.

—A number of young men of this village are talking over the advisability of forming a base ball club for the coming season. It is expected that some definite action will be taken soon and a permanent organization effected.

—Mrs. Mary Ryan of Lucas court fractured her wrist while in the Superior Court room at East Cambridge last Friday. She was sitting on the witness bench and as she arose to leave her foot caught in her skirt and she fell bending her wrist under her. She was removed to the Massachusetts General Hospital and later returned to her home.

—The funeral of Joseph Henry Gateley, son of Mrs. Anne E. Gateley, who died Wednesday of last week, was held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Bernard's church. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. L. J. O'Toole and many friends and relatives were present. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. The bearers were, D. J. Linnahan, H. T. Doherty, Joseph Brennan, John Brennan, John Gateley and Mr. Rogers. The interment was in Calvary cemetery.

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—Mrs. Caroline L. Ethier of New York has been a recent guest of Mrs. C. J. Barker of Washington street.

—There will be 2 oratorical contests and a musical contest for silver medals at A. O. U. W. hall next Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Edwin P. Leonard and family of Washington street have rented and are moving into the house formerly occupied by Mr. F. W. Upham, on Shaw street.

—A double silver medal contest was held at the Methodist church, Natiek, Wednesday evening March 28th under the direction of Dr. N. Louise Rand. Miss Gladys Glover of Cherry street West Newton, was the oratorical winner.

Upper Falls.

—Mrs. William Easterbrook of Rockland place is to spend the next week in Vermont.

—Mrs. S. G. Curry of High street has returned from a three weeks sojourn in Providence.

—The Odd Fellows Association will hold a banquet at Lincoln hall, N. H., on Monday evening.

—The New England Annual Conference will convene in Malden April 4, at the Central M. E. church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gulliver and family are to occupy the house on High street vacated by Mr. Willard.

—The Pierian Club will meet with Mrs. Child of Pennsylvania avenue next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Willard of High street have moved into Mr. Breene's house on Champa avenue.

—The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church held their monthly supper on Thursday. The evening was spent with Kipling.

—The Upper Falls Whist Club held a bowling party at Odd Fellows hall Newton Highlands, last Tuesday evening.

—The Quinebecquian Tournament is drawing to a close. At present the highest string has been made by St. John's, the highest three string total by Fisher of 24. The highest average by Heald of 85.

—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Chas. Mills of High street on Monday afternoon at 2:30. "West Africa" is the subject for the afternoon's discussion. Tea will be served.

—Mr. Brene leaves next week for Portland, Maine, where he will engage in business. Mrs. Brene will be the guest of Mrs. William Easterbrook for a few weeks before taking her departure for Maine.

—Next Sunday at the M. E. church at 10:45 subject, "The last message of Christ to his disciples." At seven, subject "What does the church stand for?" A review of the work of the church for the conference year will be given at the close of the evening sermon.

North Gate Club.

One of the prettiest parties of the season was given last Monday evening at the College whist in charge of Mrs. H. P. Earl and Miss Wells.

The hall was beautifully decorated with pennants of the different colleges and the stage was made up to represent a Harvard college room.

Nearly a hundred participated in the affair and the prizes of cut glass and bric a brac were won by Mrs. F. A. Potter, Miss Darling and Miss Foley, Mr. Porter, Mr. Dow and Mr. Thomas.

After cards had been laid aside, streamers of confetti were thrown over the decorations in the centre of the hall forming a pretty shower. Refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed until a late hour.

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The "black face comedians" are hard at work on the minstrel show to be given April 27th in the Armory, and under the direction of Lieut. Coulter are working up a most excellent program.

Sergt. Muldoon, chairman of the committee on the dance to be given April 19th afternoon and evening, promises another enjoyable affair, as a follower of the one given Washington's Birthday.

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WILFRED A. Pettibone has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Paula E. G. Green, of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of April A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.



The Waban Woman's Club met with Mrs. Frederick Putnam of Upland road on Monday afternoon, March 26. The Cranford Tea was delightfully carried out in true English fashion. The story of Cranford was charmingly told by Mrs. Putnam and an appropriate musical setting was given by Miss Musgrove of Jamaica Plain in her sympathetic rendering of many familiar airs of earlier days. There were also several choice violin selections by Miss Adele Jones of Jamaica Plain. Tea was served in the library and the billiard room by ladies in old-fashioned costume and with it the veritable seed cake of which the Honorable Mrs. Jamieson was so fond, as well as such other English delicacies as plum cake and "eckles." Besides the club members there were guests from outside, including the president and secretary of the Newton Federation, all of whom felt that the club was to be warmly congratulated on the successful occasion.

At the meeting of the Newton Highlands Monday Club on March 26 the program consisted of Current Events in the form of letters from Home and included People and Affairs, Science, Discoveries and Inventions. A special topic was also given on the "Papacy to the Time of Leo XII." The club will meet with Mrs. Bartlett next week.

The Ladies' Home Circle will meet in the parlors of the Unitarian church, West Newton, Wednesday, April 4 at two o'clock.

The regular meeting of the West Newton Women's Educational Club was held on Friday, March 23. After a short business session two groups of violin selections were rendered most acceptably by Miss Eichorn, violinist, accompanied by Miss McDonald. Rev. Charles A. Reese of Newton Centre gave an inspiring lecture on "King Arthur and his Quest for the Ideal, or the Old Order and the New." Mr. Reese outlined Tennyson's "Idylls of the King" and from the picture of Guinevere contrasted the women of the present day, paying a high tribute to such prominent women as Susan B. Anthony, Frances Willard and Julia Ward Howe.

Following the lecture there was a cake and candy sale under the direction of Mrs. Lamond by which a small sum was netted for the club.

At the next meeting on April 13, there will be a lecture by Mrs. Mary R. Marton on the "Newton Charities."

The Newtonville Woman's Guild spent another interesting musical afternoon on Tuesday, March 27. Madame Martinez gave a lecture on "Italian Music" and illustrated her talk with vocal selections. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Philip W. Carter.

The regular meeting of the Social Science Club was held on March 28. The paper of the morning was given by Mrs. F. B. Hornbroke, the subject being "Benjamin Thompson, Count Rumford." Count Rumford under Mrs. Hornbroke's portrayal became a most interesting character. She told of his early life in Woburn and later in Rumford, New Hampshire, now Concord, of his marriage and afterward of his having to flee to England for safety on account of his Loyalist opinions. There he became engaged in government service and was later knighted. Then of his visit to Germany and his work for Bavaria where he completely revolutionized the country by setting the soldiers to work, organizing schools and beautifying the country. For his great service to Bavaria he was made a Count and chose for his title, Count Rumford, from the New Hampshire town where he had married his wife. Besides all his work for the government he was a distinguished scientist and inventor; for the modern theory of heat being a form of motion we are indebted to Count Rumford. He was also the inventor of most of the kitchen utensils now in use. The English garden, the pride of Munich, was made under his direction. Mrs. Hornbroke compared this unusual man to Benjamin Franklin and there are many points of similarity. This being a guest meeting there were a large number of friends from outside present as well as the members.

The next meeting, April 4, will be the regular monthly business meeting. On the following week Miss Mand Summers will speak on "William Morris, the Craftsman."

Madame Martinez gave an interesting lecture on "Spanish Music" at the West Newton Unitarian church on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the West Newton Women's Educational Club. Madame Martinez said that music took root in Spain at a very early time, much earlier than has usually been supposed. St. Isidore did for Spain what Gregory did for Italy in the way of church music. The folk music, largely dance songs, dates back to the 11th and 12th centuries. She called attention to the fact that these are all written in the major and not minor as is often supposed to be a characteristic of Spanish music, the airs which she showed did run into the minor, she said were those written under the Moorish influence. Many

of these airs exist only as airs and have no musical setting, for these Madame Martinez has arranged an accompaniment. Her rendering of the many selections as illustrations of the points of which she was speaking was greatly enjoyed and was worthy of a much larger audience.

Musical Services at Eliot Church.

It is gratifying to hail the large audiences that are greeting the efforts of this church to cater to the musical tastes of the surrounding country as well as furnish an inspiring channel for the outflow of rapturous praise in melody worthy of that service.

It is the highest use that can be made of the appurtenances so necessary to the rendering of the works of the Masters. With an audience room that seats eleven hundred, an organ and an echo organ of magnificent proportions and quality, a chorus choir capable of rendering the highest class of music, aided by a quartette in every way worthy of the difficult solos composing these works, it would seem that this surely is the mission of a church so munificently endowed. The people are appreciating these Sunday afternoon choral services as well as the week-day organ, vocal and instrumental recitals by masters of these arts. Last Sunday afternoon Dubois' "Seven Last Words of Jesus" was magnificently rendered. Dubois proves himself to be a modern master of music and composition and his choruses and solos exhibit the application of the dramatic to his compositions that at times make them thrillingly realistic. The chorus picturing the jeering priests and populace was as fine as anything could be and strongly reminded these musically inclined of Mendelssohn's great chorus in his Elijah that pictures the Priests of Baal cutting and slashing themselves in their despairing cries to their God to hear and answer them. Dubois is recognized as a musical master in France where he was born, and the wide world now listens to and appreciates his choral and instrumental compositions. The only sad thing about this service was the general knowledge that this was the last appearance of this church's fine Cantatrice its leading soprano, Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood, who for the last seven years has so worthily and so eminently and satisfactorily sustained the solo work demanded of her. She has proved herself a self sacrificing devotee to her art and stands today one of the leading soprano artists in New England in the estimation of those musically educated. Her admirers are multitude and it is the consensus of musical opinion that this large church makes a serious mistake in dispensing with her valuable services.

We think it mistaken judgment and her successor will have difficult work to make good the void occasioned by her absence.

We trust that this choir will attempt some new and even grander works than those already given and the members of the choir begin to realize that there remain the works of Handel, Haydn, Mendelssohn, Gounod and others that would challenge their boldest effort and the admiration of the large multitudes that are eager to hear and attend them.

W. H. P.

Robert N. Wade.

The sudden death of Robert N. Wade, Thursday morning, March twenty-second, brought unspeakable surprise and sorrow to his home and his large circle of friends. He was the youngest son of the late Honorable Levi C. Wade and Mrs. Margaret (Rogers) Wade, and had inherited the large intellectuality, the keen business acumen, the sterling integrity, and the absolute chastity of thought and speech, which always characterized the lives of his parents. He was by practice a most lovable young man, and always above criticism in his relations to his large circle of friends and neighbors. He was not like the waters of the brook that purifies itself by filtering through the soil; he was more like a ray of sunlight, which purifies everything it touches. When you looked into his eyes, you saw a deep unfathomable mystery of soulfulness, kindness, prophecy and love. There was the mystery of the future glory, which was soon to be realized by him. One could not fail, in association with him to be impressed with the perfect and sweet simplicity of his every thought and act, and yet, he had so thoroughly organized himself as to speak and act with a poise unknown to most people.

His demise came soon after he, with his mother, had moved into their beautiful new home; during those few brief days, he consecrated the home with his sweet manly affection and left a benediction of the most sacred and tender filial devotion to his mother. His sweet face and perfect love will ever be to that home what the perfect diamond is to the unalloyed gold.

Rev. Mr. Sullivan conducted the funeral services at two o'clock on Sunday afternoon at the home of the deceased. A very wide circle of friends manifested their love and high esteem for the deceased and their sincere friendship and sympathy for the family by their presence at the funeral services, and by a very large and most beautiful floral offering.

Our friend has gone from mortality to immortality, and death has been defeat-

ed by life, the still darkness of the grave robbed of victory, and Robert, dear boy, forever enshrined in our memory and love.

W. M. Mick.

Mr. J. W. Cone.

Mr. Judd W. Cone of Linder terrace, Newton, died suddenly early Saturday morning from heart disease, after a brief illness of less than twenty-four hours. Mr. Cone was born at Becket, Mass., and was forty years of age. He was engaged in general insurance business with an office in the John Hancock Company of Boston. He has resided here about four years and was active in the Eliot church, a director of the Y. M. C. A. and a member of Dalhousie lodge F. & A. M. He is survived by a widow and two small children, the younger being but four weeks old.

Funeral services were held from his late residence Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Dr. Samuel L. Loomis of the Union church, Boston, officiated, assisted by Rev. Franklin S. Hatch of Eliot church. The Mendelssohn quartet sang "Abide with Me," "Some Sweet Day" and "Gathering Home." A pathetic feature of the service was the christening of the infant child at the casket of its father. The body was placed in the receiving tomb of the Newton Cemetery.

CLAFLIN GUARD NOTES.

The competition for \$500 in gold offered by Lieut. Coulter for the man having the best all around record in company work from Feb. 1st to April 1st closed Monday night, the winner will be presented with the prize next Monday night.

Lieut. Daniels has followed this up by offering \$10.00 to be divided in three parts, \$5.00 \$3.00 and \$2.00 respectively the men gaining the highest average between now and Jan. 1st, 1907.

There will be a team shoot this evening at 8.30 between the 3rd team under Sergt. Muldoon and the 4th team under 1st Sergt. Cooney.

Death of Mr. Brayton.

Mr. Lester Brayton, a well-known merchant of Boston, and a member of the firm of L. Brayton & Co., wholesale dealers in teas, coffee, molasses and cigars, at 217 State street, died suddenly Monday at his home, 871 Beacon street, Newton Centre. Mr. Brayton was born Aug. 26, 1848, at Hartford, N. Y., and, after securing as much education as possible in the local schools, started life as a clerk in a drug and general store in Granville, N. Y. This was before he was twenty years of age. After a few years he bought out a pedlar's route and sold candy and cigars about the country for a time. While still a young man he went to Burlington, Vt., and in 1869 joined the firm of Arbuckle & Company, then the leading candy and cigar jobbers of Vermont. He was with this concern until 1887, and during his residence in Vermont was prominent in the Methodist church. In 1887 Mr. Brayton came to Boston and established the firm of L. Brayton & Co. He was a member of the Boston Credit Men's Association and was prominent in the Methodist Church of Newton Centre, but outside of these he took little interest in organizations, his interest being largely in his home and his business. Mr. Brayton, on Feb. 24, 1874, married Emma Whitcomb of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He is survived by the widow and two sons, Arthur L. and Wendell H. Brayton, both of Newton Centre.

Funeral services were held from the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 2.45 o'clock and were attended by many relatives and friends. The officiating clergymen were Rev. R. T. Flewelling, pastor of the church and President W. E. Huntington of Boston University. The floral tributes were numerous and of beautiful design. The interment was in Newton Cemetery.

Easter Sale.

The annual Easter Sale of the Junior League was held Wednesday afternoon and evening in the vestry of the Newton Methodist church. The tables, arranged by months and appropriately decorated, with the matrons who assisted the members of the League were as follows: January, apron, Mrs. Charles Lawrence; Mrs. J. H. Owens; February, art, Mrs. M. A. Leonard; March, handkerchief, Mrs. J. C. Rochford; Mrs. Hawkins; April, grocery, Eldred Peterson, John Donaldson, Russell Viles; May, Italian garden, grab, Miss Florence King, Miss Ruth Copeland; June, bag, Mrs. G. S. Butters; July, candy, Miss Edith Earle; August, ice cream, Mrs. W. T. Earle; September, cake, Mrs. Palmer, Miss Vera Forsyth; October, fruit and preserves, Mrs. H. J. Fox; November, Thanksgiving pies, Mrs. H. S. Leonard; December, fancy articles, Mrs. D. F. Barber. In the evening a cantata entitled "Little Old Folk's Concert" in two parts was given by the children in costume and make quite a hit with the audience. There was a good attendance and the success of the affair was largely due to the efforts of Mrs. Charles Lawrence and George W. Barber who had put much time and thought into the arrangements for the sale.

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LINDSAY-ADAMS—In West Newton, March 22, by Rev. J. W. Lindsay, Lennox Hubbard Lindsay and Ruth, daughter of Mrs. Edward A. Adams both of Newton.

DIED.

CHILD—In Newton Highlands, March 23, Oscar H. Child, aged 75 yrs.

JOYCE—In Newton Hospital, March 23 Margaret, daughter of John Joyce, of Newton Highlands, aged 6 yrs, 8 mos, 12 dys.

MURRAY—In Newton Lower Falls, March 25, Maud N., daughter of Alfred Murray.

BENNETT—In Newton, March 27, Frances Maria, widow of Alphonso Bennett, aged 61 yrs.



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LAND COURT.

To Edward D. Conant and Charles H. Ireland, both of Newton in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; the Newton Home for Aged People, a duly existing corporation located at said Newton; William P. Mitchell and Charles H. McIntyre both of Boston in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth, Trustees under the will of William H. Ireland late of said Newton, deceased; Benjamin S. Hall and Thomas G. Frothingham both of said Boston, Trustees under the will of Mary T. Goldard late of said Newton, deceased; Kate A. Albee of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Herman Hindenlang of said Boston, to register and confirm his title in the following described land situated in said Newton, being a part of lots eight (8) and nine (9) on plan made by E. S. Smith, dated May 10, 1878, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Plan Book 33, Plan 25, bounded:

Beginning at a point on the Northerly side of Ward Street at land now or formerly of W. H. Ireland and thence running Northeasterly on said land of Ireland four hundred forty one and 15/100 (441.15) feet to land now or late of Mary T. Goldard; thence turning and running Northeasterly by land now or late of said Mary T. Goldard five hundred twenty five and 80/100 (525.80) feet more or less to land now or formerly of one Loring; thence turning and running Southerly by land of said Loring and land now or formerly of W. H. Ireland five hundred three and 11/100 (503.11) feet to said Ward Street; and thence turning and running Northeasterly, Easterly and Southerly two hundred thirty five and 98/100 (235.98) feet to the point of beginning, the last boundary being on said Ward Street.

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At the Theatres

Coming Attractions

Tremont Theatre—"The Heart of Maryland" that wonderful old war romance which has stirred two continents with its great and thrilling situations, and which was the first pronounced success David Belasco achieved on the American stage, is playing to record business at the Tremont Theatre. This play was first produced ten years ago with Mrs. Leslie Carter in the principal role, that of Maryland Calvert. Mr. Belasco has revived it this season for an anniversary tour and has placed it in the hands of an all-star cast, including in its number, Odette Tyler, Edna Wallace Hopper, Orrin Johnson, R. D. MacLean, John E. Kellard and Wallace Edginger. Miss Tyler who plays the role formerly made famous by Mrs. Carter is pronounced one of the best emotional actresses on the stage today, and certainly her work in the character of

show includes Ferreros, who plays about 20 brass instruments with his feet, and unusually clever canine who is also proficient in the musical line; Dillon Brothers, the greatest parody singers in vaudeville; Parros Brothers, European acrobats and equilibrists, specially imported for the Keith circuit; the Wilson trio, in a mirth-provoking German dialect skit; Diamond and Smith, novelty vocalists; Senator Frank Bell, monologist, and Hodges and Launchmere, "real coon" comedians and dancers. As usual, an entire new list of comedy and interesting motion pictures will be exhibited in the kinetograph.

Grand Opera House—The sensational and emotional drama, "How Hearts are Broken", which is said to have met with instant success and the hearty approval of the theatregoing public from its very first presentation is announced as next week's attraction at the Grand Opera House. The story of "How Hearts are Broken" revolves about a young fisher girl known as Mona Fancher, and familiarly called "the gypsy" on account of her peculiar dress and manner. It is a consistent, well-constructed story, full of heart interest. The comedy and tragedy interspersed throughout, result in many



SCENE FROM "THE HEART OF MARYLAND"
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AT THE TREMONT THEATRE, BOSTON.

Maryland Calvert merits this praise. Mr. Kellard play the part which he himself created in the original cast. Indeed every member of the cast is strong in his or her particular role, they having been personally selected for their fitness therefor by Mr. Belasco, and personally rehearsed by him. Altogether the performances given at the Tremont is as perfect as attention to detail and ability can make it. The engagement at the Tremont which continues another week, bids fair to equal in point of interest and in prosperity as well, any that Manager Schoeffel has offered at his popular theatre this season.

novel and startling situations. Matinees will be given as usual on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

—Crosby's Restaurant, 19 School street, Boston, is a good place to dine. If

Suburban Life for April embraces a wide range of timely country life subjects, and many representative writers are to be found in its pages. Of especial importance is the article, "Strawberries for the Home Garden," written by Wilfred Wheeler, an expert on berry culture, and "My Combination Gardens," which describes the attractive effect and the convenience of mingling flowers and vegetables in the same garden plot, by



ADELE RITCHIE
In the "Social Whirl" at the Majestic Theatre, Boston.

Keith's Theatre—The vaudeville program announced at Keith's for the week of April 2 will be a notable one from many standpoints. There will be no less than three decided novelties on the bill, two of which have never been seen in the city before and Houdini will also be held over on the bill. During the week he will introduce many entirely new "stunts", fully as sensational as those which have created such a big stir the past few weeks. Automobiles especially, but in general everybody, who enjoys a good hearty laugh will want to see "Motoring" by Harry Tate and his little company. It is so much funnier than anything being offered in the way of humor on any stage that there is nothing to be compared with it. It is a complete little sketch of a doting father carrying his son in an auto-car back to college when the machine breaks down. There are more laughs in this little sketch than you usually get in a whole evening's performance. The surrounding

E. P. Powell, New York's well-known horticulturist. Another interesting garden article is written by Dr. Frank A. Gardner, who tells "How to Grow Tomatoes on Poles." Rather more entertaining in nature are "The House That Was Built in a Pasture" by the noted author, Helen M. Winslow, and "Moral Situation for Horses and Dogs," by Edward I. Farrington, in which is described a woman's remarkable success in handling and training animals. In this issue Mr. Alfred Stoddard writes on "The Best Types of Saddle Horses," telling how to select and care for one.

Real Estate.

Edward T. Harrington Co. through their agent W. H. Rand, have sold the John Scott estate 147 Waltham street, West Newton, to Mrs. Stone of Allston. The estate consists of a 10 room house, stable, green houses, 3 acres of land. Mrs. Stone purchases for a home. After making repairs and alterations she will occupy it. The whole is assessed on a valuation of \$7000.

Village Night

(Continued from Page 2.)

forward just one thought. We people of Newton Centre believe in Newton Centre. We have got to support Newton Centre, but we must not forget that we are simply a part of the beautiful City of Newton and what Newton needs today more than any other thing is an abolition of ward and village lines and the creation of a Newton spirit. (Applause.) We want a little of that spirit that the college boys show when the cheer leader gets up and says, "Bunch up here fellows; let's pull this game out." We are going to hear more tonight of a movement that has been started and which interests the whole city. That movement is going to succeed; there is no doubt about it; there is no such thing as fail connected with it, and Newton Centre cannot afford to be anywhere else than in the front ranks. (Applause.)

Mr. KELSEY.
I may have been a little discourteous in my opening remarks, not saying a word about our new comers. We are happy to say that we have in Newton Centre a large number of new comers every year. We have a new clergyman in Newton Centre, who is with us tonight, the Rev. Mr. Brown of the Unitarian Church, at my right, and we are very glad for him that we have so fine a company here tonight to see him. We have another Newton Centre matter here that we ought not to forget because it is one of the most desirable and most unselfish efforts that we have ever put forth in this town and that is The Mothers' Rest. We ought to see to it that The Mothers' Rest has something in the way of a contribution from every one of us every year. The Mothers' Rest is doing a splendid work. (Applause.)

We have a library on Pelham Street and I think there is no influence that costs so little in Newton Centre, no influence that can exert more good than that library over there. We are making use of it, the people are using it more and we hope it will be a greater factor than it has been. What I want to say is this; a resident of Chestnut Hill sent to the trustees of the library a check for two hundred and fifty dollars to start a fund for a branch library at Nonantum and I can assure you that we will have at Nonantum within the next sixty days a branch library and reading room similar to the one we have on Pelham Street. We are going to have another library up at Newton Highlands just as soon as they get that new church built up there and that will be progress along the lines of education.

You have perhaps all noticed that the joint committee of the School Committee and the Board of Aldermen have reported three new schoolhouses for Newton, one at Nonantum, to be built at once; one at Newton Highlands, to be built within a year, and a new Manual Training school, to be built we do not know where. One of our citizens found out the other day that there were no pictures of our public buildings, and Alderman Bishop has agreed to bring up before the Board of Aldermen, and I will guarantee the Mayor will pass the order, ordering the pictures to be taken of all of our public buildings, our schools, our churches, our high school, our hospitals, our libraries and all the public buildings, and this collection will be at the library and elsewhere where citizens of Newton can see them and use them in various ways.

We all of us owe a debt of gratitude to our Representative, James A. Lowell. (Applause) and I am very sure we all of us feel very grateful for his service and that he is among us tonight. I take great pleasure in welcoming here in Newton Centre and introducing here to you, Mr. James A. Lowell.

Mr. Lowell.
Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: It gives me great pleasure to be here, coming from the further end of ward six.

I want to say something about the present President of the Senate. I find that a great many people do not know and do not appreciate the President of the Senate as he should be appreciated. He is, in my judgment, by far the ablest man in the Legislature today. (Applause.) He has already set his mark on the legislation of this state. The law of corporations is largely his work and the work which he did on the recess committee of this year, of which I was also a member, on codifying the railroad and street railway laws will last, in my opinion, a great while and will be a great thing and it is largely the work of Mr. Dana. He gets along very well with all kinds of men and that means a great deal in the Legislature. He is extremely popular in the Senate with everybody, whether they come from Berkshire or whether they come from Boston. Although they have many fierce battles there, still when the smoke clears away he is always well liked by people even though they take the other side of the question and I am glad to stand here and to do as much as I can to let the people of Newton know what a valuable man we have in Mr. Dana and I am sure that whatever office is within the gift of this commonwealth will be well filled by Mr. Dana.

Mr. KELSEY.

We have in this city a notable company of men who have been our public servants. A new day in the city gov-

ernment was started when such men as John W. Weeks, Henry B. Day, Charles S. Deming, George H. Ellis and Frank A. Day, allowed their names to stand for election to the Board of Aldermen. (Applause.) Of all of our public servants in Newton I know of no man more faithful, of all of our generous men in Newton I know of no man who enjoys giving more, of all the men of high ideals I know of no man with higher ideals than Frank A. Day. Mr. Day, the kind of public spirit we have over here in Ward Six will not stop at good fellowship as the goal. Our public spirit must and will press on through the door of opportunity until the best interests of future Newton are considered at the proper time and in the proper way. Mr. Day, ward six will follow you to the last ditch in any enterprise you propose. (Three cheers for Mr. Day.)

Mr. FRANK A. DAY.

Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen: I certainly think I would have stayed away if I had known that your chairman would have talked in this bold and "sassy" way about me. I am however very happy in being with you tonight. I enjoyed the reception and the meeting of so many Newton Centre people, so very few of whom I ever had the privilege of meeting before. I feel, of course, coming from the Corner, very much honored to be invited to the Center. When we in the Corner, and those in the Village and those in the West and those in the Dale found that the Center Post Office was placed here, we then felt indeed in Ward Seven that we were in a Corner; we felt the political power that was here exerted and why should we not be honored and pleased to be with you and be made to feel one of you? I do feel that I am one with you and one with your chairman in the object of this meeting, that of arousing interest in the good things, the beautiful things, the uplifting things in our city as a whole. I was cheered to hear your hearty cheers and enthusiastic reception of your Chairman, because he stands for effort on these lines and accomplishment as well. We are relying on him to do a great work here and we feel that to your enthusiasm for him you are going to follow him where he leads in all high civic efforts and accomplishments as well.

I wish in the few moments that I shall occupy, to confine my remarks to that one object spoken of, the Clafin field. The movement started in an endeavor to get an athletic field for some four or five hundred young men, who are in our Newton High School. It was felt that they needed more room and a place in which to run and play foot-ball and base ball and indulge in all of those physical efforts that are necessary as a foil, while young men are exercising the gray matter of their brains, and this thought, starting with the gentlemen on the platform or near me tonight, from West Newton, has gradually expanded into a thought somewhat larger. We have felt as we gazed upon that whole Clafin field as though we could not take any less than the whole, the 23 3/4 acres that compose that beautiful spot and so we have launched this project, and I wish to, if possible, to enthrone you, to doubly enlist your interest in this cause that we hope will result in our complete success in acquiring the whole extent of the Clafin place. The need of the athletic field is no greater, perhaps, than that which has been felt for many years in Newton that we should have a swimming tank. I wonder if you realize how many of our young men not only feel the necessity in the way of exercise, etc., but are drawn from sport of the thing to go from Newton to Brookline and take the lessons and to swim there in the tank. During the last ten years numerous instances have come to my knowledge of young men going over there and finding it a benefit and a cheer and it has been felt by many of us that it was a shame that we did not have something of the kind. As soon as we get it and we shall have it sometime, and wonder why we lived so many years without it, and then as it has been called to our notice tonight, Brookline has taken a step forward and expects to establish, as I understand, this year build a municipal gymnasium. Then the thought in the minds of those who have been most enthusiastic about the Clafin place has been that these things are probably, as we see the future, just the beginning of the planting of all good things at that center, as it were, practically the center of the city. The position, as regards approach, seems to be as good as that of any spot in Newton; the availability because it is very little built on and so can be acquired on reasonable terms; the nearness the closeness to the educational center, as we may call it, as one of our committee has so well put it, the educational spot, because the High School stands for the highest effort on educational lines in Newton; that in addition makes it seem very appropriate to establish what we call the good ground of Newton right there. Then your chairman has referred to the historic interest, the sentimental interest growing out of its being the home of the Governor for many years; perhaps not a war Governor, but coming right after the war. I certainly remember, how many were the gatherings under those elms, to talk over the progress of the northern cause. So we thrill as we think of the many groups that sat under those elms and discussed the sacred cause of union. So there is

a touch of sentiment there that if we will bring our minds a little to dwell on, will kindle again that kindred love of country such as was in their hearts as they gathered on those summer afternoons in the early sixties. I think we all will admit that sometime we must have a new Public Library in Newton, and if we must lose it at the Corner, it could be well placed on the good ground, on the Clafin Field; and there perhaps some day we shall see a beautiful Library, as beautiful perhaps as any in the state outside of Boston; possibly we may look to see some one with generous heart and noble spirit, who may be so that he would like to add to the Library building a wing for an Art Museum and there might be gathered as time went by precious treasures, the givers of which, as they purchased them in lands across the sea, would have that love Newton and do it in that love of Newton that we hope all who take part in this movement will feel, the love of our Newton home.

I wish to say a few words upon that spirit that simply is a means as it were of stimulating, for I think our thoughts are too often simply centered on our own things, ourselves, and I feel that in the centering our thoughts upon ourselves, too many of us lose the zest of life. The thought of ours and of the coming success of ours is not expansive; it is not uplifting, it is narrowing, it is hampering to the best feelings and the best cheer of life. But that feeling towards all our neighbors not alone our neighbors in our own village, but the neighbors in the whole city, the whole city, that feeling, that out-going feeling, that doing for them and even sacrificing for them, will bring into our lives more than we can realize. You, belonging to The Newton Center Improvement Association have realized that in your work; you have realized that you have been doing something that in a certain sense has been selfish; but it has been self-improving, it has awakened your spirit to do things, and so you have got the best out of it and not those for whom you have worked. So it is in this larger feeling to benefit the whole city. We can, out of this feeling, find ourselves coming into a far higher condition of mental achievement and of real true living. I feel that in the past there has been too much of village feeling; our thought has centered on our own sections. Of course it has grown out of the fact that Newton, geographically, is large and the centers of population have been in many cases a mile and a half and two miles apart and it was natural and there was a great deal more bickering between the villages in the olden time than we can imagine now. There yet remains a little of that feeling, a little thought as to which will get the most of a certain improvement. I think we should banish that sort of village feeling as much as we can and come into that larger thought of the whole. I rejoice to be here tonight because that spirit here animates you; I have seen it and have felt it as I have heard of your work and your attitude towards this particular project, and I really think, without flattering you at all, that the heaven of that kind spirit is right here in Newton Centre, that we have not got it at Newton Corner, that it is not in any other ward, but that it is right here and now. The heaven here let us hope will effect vitally and strongly the whole mass of the community and that we may come into an appreciation of what it is for us and what it will be for our children after us, because all these things that we have talked about for Clafin Field, you must not think are coming during your life perhaps or mine, they are simply thoughts for the future and when, we will say thirty, forty, fifty years hence, a great many of them are put there, what a pride it will be to our children and their children too.

Newton always has been the best. Newton must always be the best and such a thing as this will stamp her as the best and we shall be a pattern to towns and cities around us. We have that aspiration as to our schools, and those who are interested in the schools now have it quite as strongly as ever. We want to make the schools of Newton serve a purpose of today to the children of today and be put forward on advanced lines and so in the beautifying of our city, we want to have as fine an example of that kind of spirit here as there is, so that we shall stand as an example, so that people will point to us and say, Newton is at the head in civic pride; Newton knows how to do it. Let us pattern ourselves after Newton. We can do it. We have the people here, the spirit is here; it has always been here. We have the finest kind of people to work on on those lines and I believe if we will work that way, we shall win and win abundantly.

Mr. KELSEY.

I do not believe any one here is prophetic enough to know what the growth, the development of Newton along all the lines is going to be in the next ten and twenty years. I believe that we should expect a very large growth. The city is already growing rapidly, but the next ten years is going to see more development, more increase in population, more development, strength in all lines than we have seen in twice ten years in the past.

Our ward has recently laid hands on one of our good men to be School Committee man. Mr. Day set the example long years ago that the busiest men could go into politics and serve our city.

We have taken Mr. Parker for our School Committee, one of our very busiest business men of Newton Centre and I take great pleasure in asking your appreciation of the services of William E. Parker, who will now speak to you.

Mr. PARKER.

Mr. Chairman, You know you said to me something quite different when you asked me to speak. You told me that there were to be a number of gentlemen who had done great things and who would not say anything and there would be a number of gentlemen who had done things and would say something, and I had not done much and that I could say any old thing. That introduction, sir, reminds me of an estimable lady of Seattle whom I think you somewhat resemble. She had very enthusiastic ideas of the advantages and beauties of that northwestern city. Mr. Kelsey has an enthusiastic opinion for a great many things and they go because he believes they ought to go, though you and I know that he selects the right ones. This lady of Seattle, her husband having prospered, went abroad and visited for the first time the great metropolitan city, Paris. It being her first voyage to the old world, she became exceedingly enthusiastic about Paris and all that it stood for, in short became quite captivated and sitting down she took her pen in hand and wrote back to the women's

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Newton Centre.

—Mrs. William Johnson of Langley road is recovering from an illness.

—Mr. R. A. Burgess and family of Warren street have moved to Dorchester.

—Mr. E. T. Kellaway has had plans drawn for a new house on Wyman street.

—Rev. William M. Mick of Parker street returns this week from a trip to Philadelphia.

—Miss Johnson of Whitman has been a recent guest of Miss Mary McGrady of Summer street.

—Mr. Gardner H. Crafts of Beacon street, who is ill at the hospital, is reported improving in health.

—A food sale is to be held in the chapel of the First church, Saturday afternoon, April 7th, from 3 to 5.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward McLellan of Centre street are spending a part of the month in an enjoyable trip through the South.

—Rev. Dr. Alonzo Bunker of Pleasant street, who has been ill at Forest City, Maine, is reported improving in health.

—Mrs. Scott of Chestnut Hill has been called to Portland, where her father, Alonzo Wentworth, is seriously ill, the result of an accident.

—Prof. Winfred N. Donovan of Ripley terrace has returned from Franklin, N. H., where he was the guest of his brother-in-law, Dr. F. K. Bakeman.

—Mrs. Fanny R. Clark has moved into the Rice house, she recently purchased, on Ward street. The property was formerly owned by Mr. John B. Lewis.

—At the Mid-week meeting to be held at the First church this evening, Mr. Fadiel Moghaleh of Mt. Lebanon, Syria, will speak on Syrian customs as illustrating the scriptures.

—Mrs. T. B. Davis of this village was among the many guests present at the annual banquet of the New England Alumni of Oberlin College held in Boston last Thursday evening.

—At the Methodist Conference to be held in Malden next week Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling will probably be transferred to Athol. Rev. L. Z. Birney, who has just returned from a year of rest and travel in Europe is booked to fill the pastorate of the Methodist church.

—The branch of the Newton Free Library on Pleasant street has just received a handsome table, mat and a pretty railing for the delivery desk from Burdham Brothers. These additions will make the librarian's work less burdensome and will be a great convenience to everyone.

—The last in the series of public organ recitals was given at the First Baptist church, Monday evening, before a representative audience, by Mr. John Hermann Lund, the organist. Mr. Arthur Hadley, cellist of the Boston Symphony orchestra, assisted, and the program was an artistic one, many of the selections being taken from well known composers.

—Mrs. Agnes Skene has been awarded a verdict of \$10,000 by a jury in the U. S. Circuit Court, the suit being against the Armour Company for injuries sustained in an accident in Waltham, May 2, 1900. Mrs. Skene, who is 71 years of age, was run into by a horse and wagon belonging to the Armour Company while riding in a carriage. She was thrown out and sustained severe injuries to her head which effected her brain.

—The First Baptist church was well filled Sunday afternoon when Mr. J. Eliot Trowbridge's oratorio, "Paul the Apostle" was given by a quartette and a chorus of 50 voices. Mr. John Hermann Lund, organist of the church, was the director and the quartette consisted of Miss Evelyn G. Blair, soprano; Mrs. Lura Parks Kilday, alto; William W. Hicks, tenor; and Percy L. Smith, bass. The oratorio is in three divisions, the first telling of the vision of Paul, the second his preaching and the third the tragic close of his life.

—Rev. Alfred H. Brown of Brooklyn, N. Y., has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Unitarian church to succeed Rev. Morgan Miller, who has gone to Yale to take up special work. He is an eloquent and forceful preacher and is a graduate from New York University. He was in the Episcopal ministry in which he remained until about five years ago and among his pastorates is that of the Church of the Messiah at Providence, R. I. He is married and has one daughter. The installation of Rev. Mr. Brown will take place Sunday, April 8th, at 3.30 at the church.

Newton Centre.

—Mr. George Linn of Langley road is able to be out after his recent illness.

—Mr. Burton P. Gray of Ripley terrace has returned from a western trip.

—Mrs. A. L. Greenwood of Maple park has returned from a visit in Whitman.

—Mrs. S. W. Wilder of Homer street is entertaining Miss Brooks of St. Albans, Vt.

—Mr. Francis C. Partridge has moved from Westbourne road to Pembroke street, Newton.

—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Washington street, Newtonville. Tel. Newton 112-3.

—Mr. Samuel Clark and family are settled in their future home, the Ireland house, on Ward street.

—Mr. H. W. Harris is building a new house on Hammond street, Chapman and Frazer are the architects.

—Mrs. Charles C. Burr of Centre street has returned from a month's sojourn in Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Walter W. Webber of Langley road returned the last of the week from a business trip to New York.

—Master Percy Woodman of Centre street, who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported improving in health.

—Mrs. William B. Merrill of Lake terrace is back from a visit to her mother in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

—Mr. Arthur W. Burnham has been elected a member of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants.

—Miss Abbie A. Kneeland of Beacon street, the dressmaker, has rented a store in Central block, Newtonville.

—Mrs. George W. Bartlett of Commonwealth avenue has been entertaining her sister from Concord, N. H., the past week.

—Mr. Walter E. Guilford, the assistant postmaster, is moving this week from Pleasant street to the Ireland house on Irving street.

—Mrs. Hovey of 41 Chase street will receive all books and periodicals to be sent by the Methodist Society to the Eliza Dee Home for colored girls at Austin, Texas.

—President William E. Huntington of Boston University presided at the meeting in the interests of the New Voters festival held Sunday afternoon in Faneuil hall, Boston.

—At the recital of "Enoch Arden," given before the Concord Woman's Club Friday afternoon, the musical setting by Richard Strauss was rendered by Mr. John Hermann Lund.

—The regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Miss Haskell on Beacon street. Rev. Samuel M. Crothers of Cambridge was the guest and speaker.

—Rev. Dr. Everett D. Burr and Miss Sarah L. Arnold were among the speakers at the 70th anniversary meeting of the New England Moral Reform Society held Tuesday at the Old South Church, Boston.

—Prof. Frank P. McKibben of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology gave an interesting address on "The Social Obligations of the Engineer," at the Y. M. C. A. meeting held at the Institute on Friday.

—In the Pleasant street branch of the Library Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock Mrs. Benjamin B. Buck gave an interesting and enjoyable talk. She illustrated her subject by whistling the various bird notes.

—Mrs. Nathan E. Wood has been elected a vice president. Mrs. C. C. Burr a member of the executive committee and Mrs. J. S. Dickinson a member of the board of managers of the Auxiliary of the McCall Mission in France.

—Rev. Ralph T. Flewelling will continue his series of addresses appropriate to the Lenten season and being meditations on the Events of Passion Week at the Methodist church this evening. His theme will be, "A Day of Suffering."

—Mrs. Caroline W. Trowbridge, widow of the late Alpheus Trowbridge, and a former well known resident on Centre street died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George T. Crane, in St. Louis, aged 80 years. Her husband, who died 14 years ago, was engaged in the wholesale coal business in Boston. Deceased is survived by another daughter, Mrs. A. M. Averill, also of St. Louis.

Village Night

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club to which she belonged, saying after enumerating the advantages of Paris, "Paris is the Seattle of France." I am proud to be a member of the School Board of Newton.

Mr. Mayor, I count it a great fortune that this city, though it is a city of forty thousand people, is made up of isolated communities, eight or ten in number, for in the great disadvantages of your administration which comes from that fact, there is the great advantage that civic ideals and civic interests such as are talked about tonight are the outgrowth of such community interests as this meeting is for. I like that word community; I like the old fashioned root word from which it comes, the word com. It suggests to me that the primary meaning of that word com is ready for service, but its secondary meaning applies to-night for this community of ours is com, this social settlement it is com, this group of homes it is com, this collection of neighbors where our rights and privileges are com, where our social life is more or less com, the interests we work for the larger city are com and the rewards which shall come from them shall be the com. I do not suppose there is anything which so closely touches community life, that is so common to everything as the common welfare of your children as evidenced by the good or bad condition of your public common schools. There are six to seven thousand children in Newton attending the common schools; there are a thousand alone almost in your high school, twenty three or twenty four buildings of a property value something like a million and a half. Of these buildings your high school is the most expensive, and you know the corps of teachers who are carrying on this work, who are taking from your homes and your training, your children and turning them back to you for such supplementary work as may eventually make them proper citizens, men and women to produce what is proper and right for them to produce and for which your responsibility stands to the commonwealth of all the communities. There is only one thing I want to point out tonight and that is a report from a joint committee of the School Board and the Board of Aldermen, recommending the adoption of a plan by which eventually we shall have a Manual Training School. There is a larger version; it is a school for the industries, it includes manual training and it includes technical training and it includes commercial life. You know and I know that within the last decade commercial life has been expanded, you know that the shop has become the great departmental store; partnership has become the corporation, the corporation has merged into colossal corporate creations with endless ramifications and in all that development business has become marvellously complex and it goes without saying what are we to do with boys and girls that come out of the grammar grades and out of the high school who are by no means fitted for these great wide reaching positions that are already holding out their hand for them. They have got to have more technical training, more careful training in different classes. The boys and girls that go to our schools for these different classes of work, sheer waste to do otherwise and if you can see our schools fitted to accomplish that for every boy and girl as to their future, then you can imagine the magnificent economic value that is to be created. There are in this country ten millions of boys and girls between fifteen and twenty years of age and of this ten million, seven million and a half are not in school; seven millions and a half of boys and girls have left school for good and all at fifteen years of age. Suppose education facilities had kept up with the business development of the country, and suppose that these boys and girls, even one tenth were receiving this special education, such education as we hope to give them in this school that is projected, how much it would mean for a larger economic production in business and how much more it would mean for their higher social welfare in the future. We do not realize, because we live in what is claimed to be the Garden City, how many boys and girls do not go through classical course and enter college, do not even reach high school, we do not realize how many people of foreign birth there are right here in our city. Our evening school closed the other day, after eighteen weeks' session, with fourteen different nationalities represented. There was an enrollment of 347 pupils of which but 85 were Americans. Many of those pupils were men and their children are coming into the schools and it belongs to us to see whether we shall make out of them, men and women who shall have larger social duties or whether they shall be drawers of water that their fathers have been before them.

But this, Mr. Chairman, is only one suggestion which I am throwing out,

only one of these great things which have been enumerated, which are common to all of us. We are men of affairs; we get our subsistence, our wealth and luxuries whether we be professional or business men, out of Boston and we are indebted to Boston, its industrial supremacy and industrial happiness in New England, for all that is best that we have and as these problems come up it is up to us to so acquaint ourselves with them that we may push them within the civic advantages which our city afford. But, Mr. Chairman, these larger things grow naturally out of just such simple life and this simple living as this community. I imagine that no one would accuse Robert Louis Stevenson forming for himself an attitude for life, he simply lived, and out of the pain and the pleasures of living, we, envying him his spirit, have found in what he has written a real philosophy of life, and so it is out of these simple things, sharing common interests, sharing common leisure and common pleasure, we here in this simple country suburb can find and develop in all our lives some of the great characteristics and qualities which make citizens and communities and cities great.

I was impressed by the photographs as were all of us and what was said of patriotism by Mr. Day, and it seems to me this carries out my point that the large qualities of life are developed the better in these simple community lives like this. Perhaps some of you have read a little book called The Attic Philosopher in Paris from a translation of the French. Up in a little attic among the chimney pots of Paris, there lived a philosopher whose philosophy of life was something like Stevenson's. There came to him one day (he was an old soldier of Napoleonic wars) a young boy asking whether he should go into the army or not and he said, "Why should you go into the army?" He said, "That I may serve my country." He answered, "What is your country?" And were he here tonight and paraphrasing what he said he might ask of you, "What is our country, and what is patriotism?" To be sure geographically it is this great stretch of country reaching from England's colonies to the South American States and politically it is the United States of America, known and respected in every chancery bureau, but while it is the whole country it is some little bit of country, some little bit of sea shore or woodland or meadow where the river flows. Sometimes it is all you have, it is your business in which you are giving the best that you have not only for the dollars that are in it, but because you wish to make it a creditable achievement and creditable piece of monumental work of all that you have done. It is the laughter of the children going along to school; it is the homes you have made; it is these splendid charities, such as the women of Newton Centre have instigated and carried on; it is the music that you like and the books that you love and the painting that you love; it is all these simple, best things, love of them is love of country, and love of country is patriotism. So, Mr. Chairman, I come back to what might have been my toast, to ourselves that we may develop and know one another and to our community that it may be all that you hope for, as it is the best place in the world.

The Chairman: I have kept my word and we are all through and almost half past nine, a little after half past nine. Now I want to say just one word before we go. I think you have all had a good time (applause) and I think you want another time at least once a year just like it. (Applause.) Now let us show our good time by not all bolting for that door. Now we want you all to have a good time right off now and the way to have a good time to stop and talk to your neighbors and enjoy them and get acquainted with them.

Newton Highlands

—Mr. Wm. Hoffman of Erie ave. has returned from a business trip to Maine.

—Mrs. W. G. Parnelle of Berwick road is at Ormond, Florida, for a few weeks' stay.

—Mrs. E. B. Clark of Winchester street, who has been ill with pneumonia for several weeks, is recovering.

—Monday, April second, the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. will meet with Miss Abbott, Hobart road, Newton Centre.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Levi of Chester street have entertained this week Mr. Levi's sister, Miss Levi, and Miss Hume of Roxbury.

—Mr. W. R. Marsh of Elizabeth, N. J., has been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Marsh, of Lake avenue.

—Mills undertaking rooms, 813 Washington street, Newtonville. Tel. 112-3. Leave calls with H. S. Hiltz, Eliot station. Tel. N. H. 212-40.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold a food sale at Master's store on the corner of Hartford street on Saturday afternoon from 2.30 until 8 o'clock. A large variety of cake and other table delicacies will be for sale.

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—Dr. A. C. M. Moir died last evening at his home on Hartford street.

—We hear that work on the Walnut Street bridge is to be commenced the first of the month.

—C. G. McMullin has purchased of O. E. Bowen the block near the railroad track on Walnut street.

—The Monday Club will meet next week with Mrs. Clara Bartlett on Jackson street, Newton Centre.

—The Misses Jones, Warren, Miller, Wood, and Dyer are home from college for the April vacation.

—Mr. H. M. Biscoe of Lake avenue, who has been confined to the house on account of illness, is recovering.

—Margaret, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Joyce, died at the Newton hospital last Thursday afternoon after a short illness.

—Rev. J. E. Charlton will speak for the last time this conference year in the M. E. Church next Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock and the topic is, "The Wagons of the King."

SCHOOL BOARD

The regular monthly meeting of the school committee was held Wednesday evening, Mr. Gorham presiding.

The Superintendent's report suggested a change in the sessions of the Wolcott school at Waban, the higher grades which now meet from 8.30 to 1.30 to be changed to 8.30 to 12.30 with sessions from 2 to 4 on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

The committee subsequently authorized this experiment.

The Superintendent also reported that the masters of the Pierce, Mann, Clallin, Burr, Hamilton, Emerson and Hyde schools favored a union graduation while the Mason and Bigelow districts were opposed. The committee on teachers will consider the matter.

These resignations were accepted:—Annie F. Shepherd of the Mason school, Mabel P. Whitman of the Hyde school and Rose Murray, unassigned. These appointments were made:—Marion W. Flagg and Gertrude E. Thompson to begin next September, unassigned, and Sarah Shaw in the Mason school.

Leave of absence for this school year was granted Mary H. McIntyre of the High school.

The report of the joint committee on new school houses was approved, and an order passed requesting the construction of a 16 room school house and hall in the Nonantum district. Messrs. Botfield, Howard and Parker were appointed members of the proposed commission to investigate the matter of technical high school training and the same committee was authorized to represent the school board before the aldermen on matters of new school buildings.

The date for the High School graduation was fixed for June 23 at 2 P. M.

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School Inspection.

To the Editor of the Newton Graphic,
Dear Sir:—Permit me to say a few words in
regard to the bill "To provide for Pro-
tecting the Health of children in the
Public Schools" and the explanatory
letter from the Chairman of the Social
Service Committee of the Newton Fed-
eration of Women's Clubs printed in the
Graphic of March 16th.In this bill it is provided that the in-
spectors shall be appointed by the School
Committee and report directly to them.
As by far the larger number of the dis-
eases mentioned in Section 2 for which
children are to be excluded from school
are at present under the control of
Boards of Health, and as by the same
section the list of diseases which are to
be controlled by these Boards is in-
creased, it seems much more natural
that the inspectors should be appointed
by and responsible to the local Boards
of Health.The more simple any method of pro-
cedure is, the less likelihood there is
of its breaking down. According to the
provisions of the bill, the head master,
not the school inspector, is the one who
makes the report to the local Board of
Health, thus adding at once an extra
and, as it seems, unnecessary link to the
chain by which the Board is brought in
touch with the case.Boards of Health are accustomed to
dealing with outbreaks of infectious dis-
ease; school committees are not, and
should not be required to add such work
to their other arduous duties. Let the
school children have skilled medical in-
spection by all means, but let the super-
vision of such work be in the hands of
men who are accustomed to dealing
with such problems and these men are
found in Boards of Health and not in
school committees.A word as to the expense of such
work, and here I am dealing with the
problem as it is presented in Newton.
A great deal has been said about the
trifling expense necessary to carry out a
daily medical inspection of the schools.Let us consider this question for a
moment. There are 22 schools in New-
ton excluding the High and the Parochial
schools. It would be impossible for
an inspector to cover more than three
or four schools, but let us take the
larger number and give him four. At
least five inspectors would be needed,
and if the High and Parochial schools
are included, six. Now as to the num-
ber of visits. There are about 40 school
weeks in the year, making a total of 200
daily visits each year by each inspector
to each school or with the four schools
under his charge a total of 800 visits.
Further, these visits must be made as
soon as possible after the session opens
and should be finished before 10.00 A.M.
I do not believe that any physician could
be induced to do this work for less than
\$1.00 per day and more probably \$2.00
would be needed in order to get the ser-
vices of even a moderately skilled man.
Newton differs from Boston and other
large cities in the fact that it has not
a large number of young physicians who
would be willing to do this work cheaply
while waiting for something to turn up,
nor can the inspector rely on street cars
to carry him from one school to another
in his district but he must drive. We
are therefore compelled to put the salary
of each inspector at from \$200 to
\$400 per year of a total of \$1200 to \$2400
for salaries alone. It might be possible
to get men to serve for \$350 per year,
which would reduce the salary list to
\$2100.This calculation is based upon the
supposition that the inspector merely
visits each school daily and examines
such children as may be referred to him
by the teacher. If more than this should
be required, such as a daily inspection
of each scholar, a manifestly difficult
matter to carry out, a higher salary
would be needed.In addition to the daily visits to the
school the inspector is required to make
an annual examination of every scholar
and make a report upon his general
health and sight and hearing, and report
upon each case, giving advice as to what
is necessary to bring the child back to
normal or get the best results in cases
where this is not possible. This alone
would require a large expenditure of
time, if nothing else, and presupposes
that the inspector be a man of a certain
amount of experience.I am not opposed to the daily medical
inspection of schools, on the contrary I
am in favor of it and believe that it will
be of great benefit to the health of the
school children, and a great assistance
in controlling the spread of infectious
disease, but I also believe that the con-
trol should be vested not in school com-
mittees but in Boards of Health, and
that the citizens of Newton should clearly
understand what it will mean in the
matter of expense, whether it is es-
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mous men: "Joaquin Miller at the
heights," a beautifully poetic essay by
Charles Warren Stoddard; "Fighting
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most statesman of Asia, by Yone No-
guchi. Minor notes on celebrities are:
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Knowles," a poetic tribute to the late
gifted young laureate of New England,
by Aloysius Coll; "The Passing of Jules
Verne," by Sarah D. Hobart, and "Arm-
ing the 'Man of Destiny,'" a curiously
interesting new anecdote of General
Grant, by J. A. Dobson. There are
fine stories by Mary E. Fitzgerald, H.
C. Gauss, Rhoda Cameron and C. W.
Tyler; and notable poems by Catherine
Jewett, Ernest McGaffey, Frank Put-
nam and Alex. Derby. Congressman
John F. Lacey of Iowa writes about the
earliest automobiles, in 1837, when it
was thought the steam automobile would
force the steam railways, than in their
infancy, out of business. Joe Mitchell
Chapelle's "Affairs at Washington," Gil-
son Willet's "Adventures of a Special
Correspondent" and Frank Putnam's
"Note and Comment" afford fresh and
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ful and successful teacher. It is true that
he is somewhat dogmatic, but we have
heard of teachers before who had that
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unfinished story, "Weir of Hermiston,"
speaks of "the schoolmaster that exists
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President Roosevelt and took in the
sights at the capital.Sunday they were the guests of Mr.
Weeks at luncheon at the Chevy Chase
Club and returned to Boston Sunday
night.The dinner Saturday evening was
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